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Floodway may be used, Corps warns residents

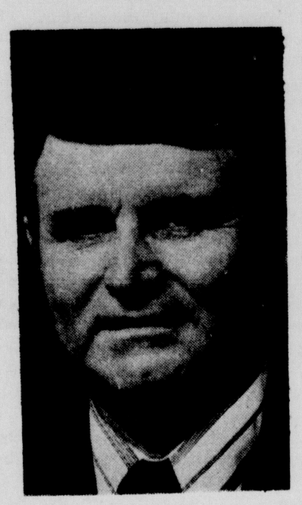
MEMPHIS-- The Memphis District, U.S. Army Corps of engineers, today cautioned residents, lessees, landowners, trailer owners and lessee-operators in the Birds Point - New Madrid Floodway that current conditions on the Mississippi river might call for use of the floodway. Col. A. C. Lehman, Memphis district engineer, warned persons within the floodway to be prepared to evacuate should conditions worsen.

The Birds Point- New Madrid Floodway was developed under acts of Congress by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and is a vital part of the overall flood control project designed to safely contain floodwaters on the Lower Mississippi River. Use of the floodway is necessary at 58 feet on the Cairo gauge when stages in excess of 60 feet are forecast.

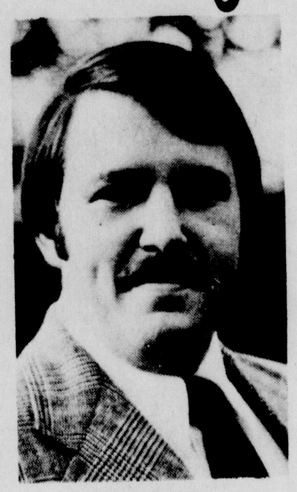
Once placed in operation, the floodway will reduce flood crests for about 20 miles up both the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers by as much as 2 ½ feet at both Cape Girardeau, Mo. on the Paducah, Ky., on the Ohio. Without this emergency relief, flood protection works all along these reaches would have to be drastically raised.

"At present," said Col. Lehman, "use of the floodway will not be required, but the unusually high stages and unpredictable weather could quickly change the situation.

Adequate notice will be given through the local Civil Defense officials, the highway patrol, and all news media to allow time for evacuation of people, livestock, and for removal of personal belongings. Persons in the floodway should take advance preparations to allow expeditious action should such a notice be issued."



Billy Ryan



Eric Piel

Ryan, Piel win council posts

Billy Ryan and Eric Piel won seats on the Sikeston City Council Tuesday in an election where 1,400 voters cast ballots.

There were slightly over 7,000 registered voters in the city.

Ryan , an incumbent, captured 963 votes and Piel won 775. Placing third was James G. "Pete" Malone with 640 and fourth was C.L. Blanton Jr., with 509.

Piel will occupy the seat held by Frank Ferrell who did not seek re-election.

Ryan won every precinct except Sunset, where he got 46 votes. Sunset was carried by Piel with 54 votes.

Votes by precinct are: Park precinct, Semo Motor Co., Ryan, 176, Piel, 164, Malone 135, and Blanton 103; Airport precinct, Ethridge Tire Co., Ryan, 99, Piel , 83, Malone ,54, and Blanton, 49.

Allen precinct, Sonny Presley, Chevrolet, Ryan, 179, Piel, 131, Malone, 141, and Blanton, 84; Sunset precinct, Lincoln School, Ryan, 46, Piel, 54, Malone, 43, and Blanton,46.

Delmar precinct, Sikeston Actiivity Center, Ryan, 98, Piel, 75, Malone, 58, and Blanton, 60; Clayton precinct, Lewis Furniture Store, Ryan, 84, Piel, 66, Malone, 53, and Blanton, 38.

Armory precinct, National Guard Armory , Ryan, 196, Piel, 148, Malone, 110, Blanton, 92; Broadway precinct, Imperial Bowling Lanes, Ryan , 76, Piel, 50, Malone, 37, and Blanton, 35.

Absentee ballots were: Ryan.9, Piel, 4, Malone, 9, and Blanton, 2.

New Viet leadership sought to end war

SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) — The South Vietnamese Senate called unanimously today for a new leadership to end the war as President Nguyen Van Thieu's government gave up the last of its enclaves in the central part of the country without a fight.

Anarchy and panic gripped five cities in the region, including Cam Ranh, now among the three-quarters of South Vietnam under North Vietnamese and Viet Cong control.

In a flight from possible turmoil in Saigon, a World Airways DC8 left for the United States carrying 60 Vietnamese orphan babies.

The head of the airline, Ed Daly, said the South Vietnamese approved the evacuation of 500 other orphan babies but that the U.S. Embassy prevented their departure because it felt his plane was unsafe.

A spokesman for the U.S. Embassy today denied that it had blocked the departure of the 500 babies, saying the Friends of All Children, a charitable organization helping Americans adopt children, made the decision.

Thieu summoned Premier Tran Thien Khiem, his cabinet and the top military commanders to a meeting and there was speculation that a new cabinet would be announced.

In a radio address, Khiem pledged to hold onto remaining government-controlled areas and "from there work toward retaking control of the entire country."

Thieu also had a meeting with U.S. Army Chief of Staff Frederick Weyand who has been in South Vietnam for a week on a fact-finding trip ordered by President Ford.

In Phnom Penh, the U.S. Embassy made plans to temporarily evacuate 15 per cent of its 200 American staff members to Thailand as rebel forces marched on the second largest city of Battambang and swept over Neak Luong, the government's last stronghold on the Mekong River.

In its first open break with Thieu, the previously pro-government Senate charged the president with "counting exclusively on a military solution ... in solving a war with many political characteristics." It said he was guilty of "an abuse of power, corruption and social injustice."

The Senate, regarded as little more than a rubber-stamp body since pro-Thieu candidates took control of it nearly two years ago, passed the resolution by a vote of 41 to 0. The vote does not have any binding effect, however.

The Senate also charged the United States with failure to respect its commitments to South Vietnam. The charge was echoed in Washington, where South Vietnamese Ambassador Tran Kim Phuong said in a television interview the United States had not lived up the Paris ceasefire and the world probably would conclude it is safer to be an ally of the Communists than the Americans.

Board incumbents turn back strong challenge

Lee Shell and Phil Barkett turned back a strong challenge from Jolene Walker to win re-election to the Sikeston R-6 School Board Tuesday.

Shell led the balloting with 1,352 votes, Barkett was second with 1,273 and Mrs. Walker ran a close third with 1,124.

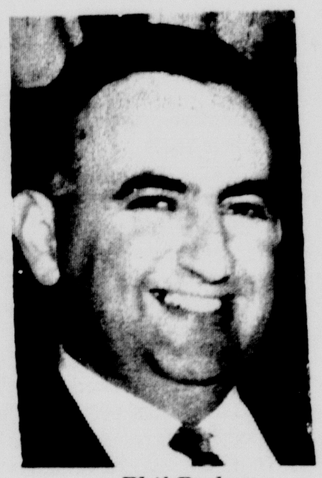
Votes by precinct were; Park precint, Semo Motor Co., Shell, 179, Barkett, 192, Walker, 183; Airport precinct, Ethridge Tire Co., Shell, 107, Barkett, 95, Walker, 79.

Allen precinct, Sonny Presley Chevrolet, Shell, 188, Barkett, 178, Walker, 185; Sunset precinct, Lincoln School, Shell, 49, Barkett, 60, Walker, 69.

Delmar precinct, Sikeston Activity Center, Shell, 118, Barkett, 98, Walker, 77; Clayton precinct, Lewis Furniture store, Shell, 98, Barkett, 70, Walker, 65.

Armory precinct, National Guard Armory, Shell, 210, Barkett, 180, Walker, 145; Broadway precinct, Imperial Bowling Lanes, Shell, 73, Barkett, 59, Walker, 60.

Lee Shell



Phil Barkett

Morehouse precinct one, Shell, 116, Barkett, 121, Walker, 122; Morehouse precinct two, Shell, 60, Barkett, 76, Walker, 48.

Salcedo precinct, Shell, 13, Barkett. 17, Walker, 7; McMullin precinct, Shell, 4, Barkett, 3, Walker, 3; Miner precinct, Shell, 131, Barkett, 118, Walker, 78.

Absentee ballots; Shell, 6, Barkett, 5, Walker, 3.

Tax levy increased in Puxico district

BLOOMFIELD--Three Stoddard County cities have new mayors and the Puxico School District passed an increased tax levy in Tuesday's city and school elections.

In Advance, Carl Richmond won the position of mayor, defeating Don Cecil by a vote of 175 to 112. Kenneth Spane was elected alderman from ward one, defeating Kenneth Long, by a vote of 112 to 73. Ralph McDaniel was elected police judge, receiving 129 votes. His opponents Val Hamby drew 126 votes and George Douglas received 31 votes. L.O. Ruetzel was unopposed for alderman from ward otwo.

Advance School District voters re-elected Robert Crader and Ted Lampher. Crader drew 254 votes and Lampher received 217 votes. Opponents, Gary DeVault received 153 votes and Richard Reutzel 142 votes.

Bell City voters elected Harold Tilly Jr. to the position of alderman from ward one. Tilley received 32 votes; Jerry T. Coleman 3 votes; Richard Ramley, 5 votes and Fred McKee, 20 votes. In ward two, Max Bollinger defeated his opponent Harold Hart by a vote of 38 to 18.

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Workshop tax approved

Scott County voters Tuesday approved a 10 cents per $100 valuation tax levy to finance a countywide sheltered workshop for the care and employment of post-school handicapped persons.

The final vote was 2,689 for the proposal and 1,722 against.

The election was called by the Scott County Court after supporters of the proposal had gathered about 1,400 signatures on petitions requesting such an election be held.

B.W. Gunn, director of the Sikeston Community Sheltered Workshop, has said that the tax money will be used to build a new sheltered workshop to replace the present structure and that residential homes may be constructed for persons enrolled in the program.

Gunn said that in Scott County there are 200 to 300 persons who are handicapped that are in the low-to-borderline I.Q. level and who are physically handicapped and are not able to compete for jobs in the regular labor market.

These people are productive, however, andearn their income, but they must have selective work and close supervision, Gunn said.

R-1 board members represent same area

NEW MADRID — In a four-way contest for two positions on the New Madrid R-1 Enlarged School District Board of Education Opal Bondurant of Catron and incumbent Hoyte Butler of Parma were elected Tuesday over incumbent Metts Hawkins of Portageville Route One and Harold Dial of Portageville.

For the first time since the district was reorganized in 1968, two directors representing the same geographical unit were elected. Mrs. Bondurant, who tallied 2, 162 votes is the first woman to be elected to the board of the reorganized district.

Butler got 2,041 votes; Hawkins, 1,895 and Dial, 1,586.

Voters in the Gideon 37 school election returned Calvin Walker to the board of education for an unexpired two-year term over opponent Evert Harris. Walker, who had been serving by appointment, received 200 votes and Harris polled 61.

Unopposed incumbents Jack Campbell and Woodrow Woolverton were re-elected to three-year terms by 250 and 211 votes respectively.

Risco R-2 School District voters re-elected unopposed incumbent directors Van Gibbs and Paul C. Crouthers. Gibbs tallied 74 votes and and Crouthers 73.

Paul C. Crouthers of Risco and Allan Littell of Gideon, incumbent directors on the New Madrid County Board of Education, were returned to three-year terms. Littell represents the Second County Court District and Crouthers the First County Court District. Littell was the only declared candidate and Crouthers was voted in by write-in ballots.

Voters okay sales tax

EAST PRAIRIE — The one-cent sales tax proposal on Tuesday's city election ballot received approval by a margin of 110 votes in unofficial returns. Voting for the proposal were 301 to 191 votes against.

Incumbent Jones Hedge was re-elected to a two-year term on the City Council with 383 votes to 91 voters for Mrs. Katie Brown. Hedge was elected to fill the unexpired term of Wayne Presson, who resigned from the council in October of 1974.

Elected to three-year terms on the council were incumbent LaWanda Douglas with 324 votes and Hunt Wellborn with 356 votes. Both were unopposed.

ANNISTON

Incumbent Mayor John Essary was re-elected Tuesday to a two-year term. Essary received 40 votes and his opponent Pete McClendon received 37 votes.

In ward one, Shirley Chambers and Harold Tatum were elected to two-year terms on the town board. Chambers received 20 votes and Tatum 17. The third candidate, Forest Petty received four votes.

In ward two incumbent John Blackwell was re-elected with 22 votes for a one-year term on the town board. Gary Whybard received eight votes and Henry Oliver did not receive any votes.

No candidates filed for the position of town collector. Receiving write-in votes were Victor Ahlfield, seven; Jeanne Thurman, six; Robert Thurman, two; and Betty Jackson, one.

BERTRAND

In the mayor's race Tuesday, incumbent Johnny Hooper was re-elected to a two-year term with 143 voters over 99 votes for his opponent Arthur "Jack" Powell.

In ward one, incumbent alderman Jim Jones was re-elected to a two-year term with 56 votes. John W. Syre received 31 votes.

In ward two, incumbent Bill Darby was re-elected to a two-year term with 75 votes. His opponent Lucian Black tallied 57 votes.

WYATT

Candidates for two-year terms on the town board were unopposed in Tuesday's election.

Prince Moxley received 36 votes and a write-in candidate, Clifton Brumley received eight votes for alderman of ward one.

In ward two, G. A. Banks

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Hospital receives approval for new dialysis service

The Missouri Delta Community Hospital has been notified by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare that it is approved to provide a "maintenance dialysis service." The approval was received by written authority dated March 28.

This approval brings to a close efforts started approximately 18 months ago by many interested persons to make this service available for the area.

Harold Jones, hospital administrator, said plans to secure the quipment and to make necessary installation are under way. The facility will be ready for use in the near future. The hospital secured the services of a registered nurse several months ago and has made it possible for her to complete special training at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., thereby qualifying her to work with the dialysis patient.

Dr. J.R. Dupont, a Sikeston thoro-vascular surgeon, is the physician in charge of the dialysis unit and will be working in cooperation with Dr. Robert Kelly, nephrologist in Memphis, Tenn. Dr. Dupont has been instrumental in securing local support for this unit.

The need for these services has been made apparent by Sikeston residents who are now traveling to Memphis two and three times per week for this special procedure. The renal dialysis machine is used when a patient's biological filtering process fails to function. By this process, impurities are removed from the blood that are normally filtered out by the kidneys.

The community response to this need has been outstanding, Jones said. Many groups and many individuals, from Sikeston, Poplar Bluff, and other communities, have participated in raising funs to purchase the machine, to educate personnel, and to generally make the service accessible to those in need. Jones said "This is another example of the goodness exhibited in so many ways by the people of this community. We have seen this expression of concern for others exemplified in so many ways and by so many people during the past years at the Hospital. It is this feeling of concern that has made this a good community and ours a good hospital."

3 federal grants awarded in Bootheel

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Gov. Christopher S. Bond said today he has been told by the Economic Development Administration that federal grants have been awarded for projects in Dunklin, New Madrid and Pemiscot counties.

A $618,000 grant to be matched by $412,000 by the city of Malden in Dunklin County will be used to expand an industrial park and encourage new firms to enter that area.

Howardville in New Madrid County will receive $450,000 to provide immediate construction jobs for the unemployed.

Hayti in Pemiscot County has been approved for $107,400 to stimulate industrial growth and provide commercial and industrial sewer facilities. The city also will pay $71,600 on the project.

It's inside. . . .

For area election results turn to ... pages 3, 4 and 6.

East Prairie Future Farmers of America host Area 12 awards banquet. Turn to ... page 7.

The Missouri Senate death penalty bill is expected to pass in the House of Representatives. For the story, turn to ... page 10.

. . . . and outside

Showers and thunderstorms ending this evening and decreasing cloudiness and colder tonight. Partly cloudy and cool Thursday. Winds tonight northerly 10-18 m.p.h. Lows tonight upper 30s and highs Thursday 45-50. Precipitation this evening 40 per cent and 10 per cent tonight and Thursday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy Friday through Sunday with warming during the weekend. Little or no precipitation expected during the period. Low temperatures in the 40s and highs in the 50s on Friday, 60s on Saturday and near 70 on Sunday.

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 65 and 40 degrees.

Sunset today .....7:21 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ....6:42 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow..2:02 a.m.
Last Quarter .....April 3

The constellation Corona Borealis is now high in the eastern sky at midnight. Also called "Ariadne's Crown, its brighter stars form an almost perfect semicircle.

5 mayors elected in New Madrid

NEW MADRID — Voters in city elections in New Madrid County Tuesday elected new mayors in Parma, Morehouse and Portageville and returned incumbent mayors in Matthews and Tallapoosa. The mayor of the village of Catron will be chosen from the newly-elected five member board of trustees.

PARMA

Incumbent Mayor Randall Ramsey was defeated in his bid for a sixth term by .James V. Robinson, who tallied 247 votes to 175 votes cast for Ramsey. Gary Cravens a third candidate in the race collected 2 votes.

W. C. "Dub" Cox gained the ward one alderman seat over incumbent A. B. Parker by a vote of 62 to 55.

Ivan Pulling, incumbent alderman in ward two, was unseated by .Leslie Durham, who tallied 188 votes to 86 for Pulling. Charles Mitchell received 10 votes in his bid for the post.

In a six-way race for police judge, incumbent John Teeters received 202 votes to be re-elected. Other candidates and votes polled include Paul "Bud" Cunninghm, 134; Ernest Perry, 22; Milton Thatch, 60; Alton Eugene Jackson, 9; and Roger Jaynes, 11.

Incumbent Marshal Larry Gee received 236 votes over his oppoinent, Alvin Curtin Hunt, who polled 178 ballots.

Flora Garrard was re-elected city collector by 276 votes over Betty Stanley, who received 132 votes.

MOREHOUSE

James M. Kindle defeated incumbent Mayor Marlin "Moe" Swinger by a 99-vote majority. Kindle totaled 215 votes and Swinger 116.

Incumbent City Clerk and Collector Manuel Jack Taylor regained his post by a narrow 11-vote margin over opponent Edward Kinder. Taylor tallied 174 votes and Kinder 163.

Petre Leija was elected ward one alderman by a vote of 137 over Willie F. "Sonny" Cagle who received 67 votes.

Re-elected without opposition were Marshal L. M. "Slim" Rogers, 261 votes; Ward Two Alderman Gene Cagle, 91 votes; and Police Judge W. E. "Bill" Morgan, 271 votes.

PORTAVEVILLE

Don Rone Jr. was elected mayor by a majority of 91 votes over Bob Carlisle. Rone who succeeds Barry Richardson received 643 votes and 552 ballots were cast for Carlisle.

Veteran Police Chief Joe Moore was returned to office for his 11th two-year term by a whopping 740 vote plurality over Vester Robinson. Moore polled 960 votes and Robinson 220.

Ward One Alderman Benny Goodman was re-elected to a new two-year term over Carroll LeSieur. Goodman tallied 287 votes and Le Sieur 198 votes.

Patrick McCrate received 414 votes over Joe Simmons who tallied 249 votes to win the ward two alderman seat that had been held by Rone.

Incumbent collector Margaret DeRousse Phillips, who was unopposed, received 1,039 votes.

TALLAPOOSA

Voters approved an annexation proposal and also decided to change from a village classification to a fourth class city classification. Both issues required a simple majority for passage. The annexation proposition to add approximately 23 acres to the town was favored by 86 voters to 6 against; and the classification change received 86 votes in favor to 7 against.

In a three-man contest for marshal, incumbent Carl Deprow was re-elected over Charles Conner and Clarencer Isbell. Deprow tallied 70, votes; Conner, 15 and Isbell, 10.

Two trustee seats were filled by incumbent Orbey Taylor, who polled 76 votes and Otto Babb, who tallied 73 votes over a third candidate, Jerry Meadows, who gathered 31 votes.

Leo Deprow, unopposed for re-election as mayor, received 83 votes.

MATTHEWS

Mrs. A. W. Wagley, outdistanced three opponents to be re-elected mayor for a second term. She received 134 votes to 47 votes for Charles "Shorty" Rhodes; 11 votes for Howard Burns and Tommy Grayam trailed with 1 vote.

Jeffrey DeLong squeaked into a two-year term as ward two alderman by one vote over Jimmie Burch. DeLong tallied 60 votes to 59 for Burch and a third candidate, Larry Grimes, pooled two votes.

Clyde Conley polled 93 votes to gain a one-year term as ward two alderman over Herman Dunning, who received 25 votes.

Carl Shelby, who was unopposed for a two-year term as ward one alderman, received 54 votes.

NEW MADRID

Incumbent Alderman in wards one and three were returned to office and an unopposed candidate was elected as a new alderman in ward two.

William "Bill" Boyd received 119 votes to be re-elected ward one alderman over Frank E. Masterson, who tallied 82 votes.

John A. Huner, incumbent

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Wednesday, April 2 — 1895, Peter Pooper picks a peep of pippered peckles.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

What has become of the old fashioned man the back of whose pants reminded you of the loose part of an elephant hide?

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Once upon a time when the most anybody paid in Social Security taxes was $30 a year, there wasn't much point in arguing whether that tax or the Federal income tax got first crack at the weekly paycheck.

There's a lot more point, or bite, in the argument in 1975, according to Tax Foundation, Inc.

This year the maximum Social Security tax will be $825 on the first $14,100 of income. At that level, the question of which tax falls on which tax starts to involve a double tax of $93 or more.

For example, take a married man with two children earning exactly $14,100. His Federal income tax, if it were figured on the amount left after his $825 Social Security tax has been withheld, would be $154 less. His Social Security tax, if it were based on income remaining after the Federal income tax is withheld, would be $93 less.

The Federal government, of course, doesn't see things quite that way in applying both taxes to the same income. It has always taxed as "income" the employe's share of the Social Security tax. One rationale for this is that SS retirement benefits are far greater, because of the employer matching contribution, than the employe's SS tax payments, and the benefits are not taxed.

It is no wonder the American taxpayers are feeling like plucked geese -- and increasingly suspicious of Congress who writes the taxing laws.

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GET A HORSE

In these uncertain economic times, where are the people who have money investing it? In gold, oil, stocks and bonds and old socks?

All of these, no doubt. But a lot of people trying to stay ahead in the race with inflation are putting their money on horses, says the Keeneland Assn., which sells thoroughbreds.

The average price paid for a thoroughbred race horse at the association's summer horse sale at Lexington, Ky., last year was $53,489. While the initial investment is great, the potential returns are even greater.

For example, Canonero II, a thoroughbred bought for only $1,200, earned more than $360,000 in a brief racing career — returning an incredible 30,000 per cent profit to his owners. He was then sold for $1.5 million for stud purposes.

Another $32,000 Keeneland purchase, a filly named Chris Evert, has earned $679,475 in her three-year racing career. This is $300,000 more than the famed tennis star of that name has earned during the same period.

Have a few tens of thousands of idle dollars you don't know what to do with? See a man about a horse. If the energy situation gets much worse, you can always use it for transportation.

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A small boy took his teacher half an apple, "I ate mine on the way to school, and half of yours," he confessed.

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THE TAXMAN COMETH

With the first North Sea oil not expected to flow ashore for another year, hard-pressed Britain is already counting its royalties.

The government has announced its intention of not only imposing a revenue tax on petroleum production but of acquiring a 51 per cent interest in all discoveries — with the predictable result that many oil companies, currently in a race with sharply rising costs due to inflation, are seriously reconsidering their investment programs.

Politicians and economists of all ideological stripes are agreed that Britain's future hinges on North Sea oil, the production of which is already a year behind schedule.

"Our new offshore oil industry is at a make-or-break state of affairs, and indeed we are in a make-or-break state in our nation's history," says Patrick Kenkin, Conservative member of Parliament.

"There is no doubt at all that the prospect of substantial independence from imports of oil at the end of this decade is the one factor which has enabled our economy to survive."

One major company, however, has warned that some fields might never be developed if taxes are too high.

Britain might remember the man who killed the goose that laid the golden egg. That greedy fellow at least waited until the animal had begun producing.

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Bill Hanna says it's easy to get kids to look up to you — just walk in and turn off their TV sets.

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Many years ago a very nice Sikeston man was natural-born drunkard. He probably inherited it from some ancestor he had never seen. About twice a year he could stand sobriety no longer, and went on a toot. He gave his wife fair warning, and she got ready for it. He hired a man to come in and sit with him, laugh at his jokes, listen to his boasts of how smart he was, and keep him from burning the house down and running away. At the end of four or five days he sobered up and returned to business down town, explaining that he had had a "slight bilious attack." If a man cannot avoid getting drunk, this is the way to do it. The biggest idiot is the drunkard who reels about the streets adverrtising his weakness.

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Why do typewriter ribbons go on so easily the wrong way too?

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Frank Ferrell, Mayor of Sikeston says many a man who claims to be selfmade owes it all to a wife who made him work regularly.

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Everyone wanted to participate. Such was the spirit of loyalty to Oklahoma City.

Edward King Gaylord

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In a great many cases the Something borrowed" at a wedding is what it cost the bride's father to finance the whole thing.

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"Life is simply a continuing struggle to keep money coming in and teeth and hair from falling out."

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TOMORROW
APRIL 3 - THURSDAY

..**NAFELS PILGRIMAGE.** Apr. 3. Switzerland (Canton Glarus) Commemoration of the Battle of Nafels, fought on Apr. 9, 1388. Observed annually on first Thursday in April, with processions, prayers, sermon and a reading out of the names of those killed in the battle.

WASHINGTON IRVING's BIRTHDAY. Apr. 3. American author, born New York City, Apr 3, 1783. Died Tarryton, N. Y. Nov 28, 1859.

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ROBERT VAUGHN

Jay Peerless Bixby, freelance traffic coordinator for the railroads , was in Sikeston recentiy and I got a chance to interview him.

"Why did you pick Sikeston to visit?" I asked.

"We've been getting some unjustifiable complaints that our trains are causing traffic congestion in your city," he answered. "I'm here to conduct an impartial investigation and show that the complaints are groundless."

"I don't know." I said. "I can remember an incident last Saturday where one train held up traffic for nearly fifteen minutes."

"Are you talking about the crossing at Northwest Street?" Jay Peerless Bixby asked.

"Well, yes," I answered. "Traffic was stacked up for several blocks there, and the train stretched across three crossings."

"That's just an example of what I mean by unjust accusations," Bixby answered. "I've looked into that, and there is absolutely no complaint there."

"No?"

"None," Bixby replied. "That train crew was on their lunch break. Their Union specifically allows twenty minutes for lunch. Actually the crew should be commended, they took only fourteen minutes."

"But the train was stretched across the roads while they ate lunch," I protested.

"Perfectly within their rights, as long as they log the time in and out," Bixby replied.

I was beginning to grow a little exasperated, so I protested rather vehemently that something should be done.

"Aha!" Bixby said, smiling broadly. "That's what I'm here for. I've worked out an arrangement whereby all traffic congestion can be relieved, if the good citizens of Sikeston would follow a simple plan of traffic control."

"I'm sure they would," I said. "I've heard several people complain about the trains. I know they would appreciate a reasonable approach to the problem."

"This will solve it," Bixby said, and he handed me the following outline for traffic control:

A. All red, green,yellow and blue cars between the years 1970 and present, will back across the railroad tracks with lights on and horn honking. If the car is a four door, the right rear door will be open. If the car is a two door, the trunk will have a piece of red ribbon attached to it.

B. Older model cars of other colors may cross the tracks in forward gear, provided such crossing is preceded by a traffic officer bearing one lantern of green and one of fucia. Both rear doors will be open on four door cars, while on two door cars three trading stamps will be pasted two inches above the right lower cornerof the left rear window.

C. In the event a vehicle doesn't fall under either category listed above, the air will be let out of the tires and a paperbag will be affixed to the radio aerial.

D. If at any time a rehicle approaches a railroad crossing at the same time as a train, both shall stop and neither shallproceed until the other has gone.

One economic principle they don't teach in school is the law of double disappearance. When the price of anything goes out of sight, the shortage disapperas.

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Burglar: "The police are coming. Quick, jump out the window!"

Accomplice: "But we're on the thirteenth flor."

Burglar: "This is no time to be superstitious."

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The money saved for a rainy day now buys a smaller umbrella.

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The answer to inflation must be increased production. That is why rabbit fur is cheaper than mink.

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BUSINESS IS ON THE RIGHT TRACK, ACCORDING TO CONSUMER ADVOCATES

Northwestern National Life Insurance Company reports that 1974 may well be known as the year of a great narrowing of the gap between business and the consumer.

The sources are leaders of national consumer advocacy groups. This encourageing estimate of the status of business-consumer relations was the advocates when the Family Economics Bureau of Northwestern asked: "What, if anything, is American business doing right?"

The results of a survey published in the September-October issue of the Harvard Business Review also confirms the feeling of consumer advocates that business is now coming to terms with consumers. The survey revealed a new development in the magazine's decade- long coverage of consumerism - "... a strong majority of executives now consider consumerism a positive force..."

Another surprise is the finding by HBR that business leaders are turning thumbs down on that old tenet of business philosophy, "caveat emptor"- "let the buyer beware." Now they are saying "caveat venditor"- " "let the seller beware."

Virginia Knauer, who is one of the most influential consumer advocates as Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs, confirms a change in the attitudes of businessmen. "They definitely have more positive attitudes. They are more receptive to ideas from consumers," she says.

The home appliance industry is listening to consumers- and acting on suggestions through its Major Appliance consumer Action Panel. College professors and representatives of consumer organizations serve on the panel without pay. Virtually all the panel's major recommendations for reforms have been accepted.

The Furniture Industry Consumer Advisory Panel serves the same function. The carpet and rug industry has a complaint-handling organization, too, and Whirlpool and United Van Lines have complaint systems which can be reached by calling toll-free numbers.

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LISTEN WITHOUT PREJUDICE

Unlike the political statesman, the business statesman has little access to the public forum. His views often reach the public in a trickle- down process of news reporting that disregards much of what is said because of the businessman's alleged self-interest.

Mr. Hohn E. Swearingen, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), in an Address, reviewed the entire specturm of the energy shortage, its causes and solutions. His message is much the same as has been broadcast by oil industry spokesmen for years -- that the energy gap has been a long time coming because of many factors including government policies and over-zealous environmentialism. He declares. "More often than not, any attempt by the petroleum industry to try to call attention to the unpleasant facts of life in regard to the growing gap between the nation's supply and demand for energy was written off as self-serving -- particularly since the only rational solutions we could see would lead to higher prices."

There are many immediate and long-range steps that must be taken to maintain adequate energy supplies. For the public, the only way to deal with the energy problem is tolisten with an open mind to those who know the energy business -- the business statesmen whose self- interest includes U. S. national security and the well-being of over 200 million U. S. citizens.

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BETCHA DIDN'T KNOW

..Imminent is about 60 seconds - as in "I'll be with you imminent!"

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It's been noted that allyou have to do to get the world to beat a path to your dooor is to decideyou want to take a nap.

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A camel is what a horse would look like if it were put together by a committee.

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LESSON IN WORD VALUES

The Lord's Prayer has 56 words.

Lincoln's Gettyburg Address - 266 words.

The Ten Commandments - 297 words.

The Declaration of Independence - 300 words

A recent U. S. Government order concerning cabbage pri ces contained 26,911 words!

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CITIES ON THE FEDERAL DOLE

..Concern is expressed from time to time that we are creating a society of welfare addicts - - people who spend their lives on the public dole and whose children repeat the pattern.

The fact is that there is much more danger of our local governments becoming so accustomed to sucking on the bounteous federal teat that they will never be able to wean themselves. Only in this case we don't call it welfare but "revenue sharing," "Impact Cities" aid or a host of other names for a host of other federal programs.

Cleveland, the nation's 10th most populous city, is a prime example.

It has reached the point where Cleveland has become so dependent upon federal (and to a lesser degree, state) financial assistance that it would be completely bankrupt without it.

The city's 1975 budget is projected at $126 million. But local income and property taxes are expected to bring in only $74.9 million, which is $1.5 million short of the amount needed just to run the police department.

The difference of some $51.1 million will be made up with federal and state grants and subsidies, which in the past two years have totaled $143.5 million and $25 million respectively.

"If I were not able to get continued federal funds, this would be a one- department government - safety," says Mayor Ralph J. Perk. "There would be no money for recreation, health services, parks, rubbish collection or anything else."

It's said that Perk has carried the cup to Washington so many times he's worn a path.

Meanwhile, property taxes in Cleveland have been permitted to decline by $51 million and last November voters, perhaps having learned that the more they pay, the less service they get, turned down an income tax increase that would have added $16 million to the city's coffers.

Perk is not worried about the city's increasing addiction to the federal dollar. The money, he says, "belongs to the people."

Cleveland may differ from other American cities only in the scale of its dependency on "the people's money." But if this city,, with its strong industrial and commercial base, can't afford to govern itself, what hope is there for any city?

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Sign on a lawn: "DOGS - beware of vicious owner"

SIGN OF THE TIMES

The colleges and universities are having a hard time attracting enough students to fill their classrooms last fall. Some have even been driven to the practice of sending out recruiters to talk youths into higher education.

However, one college has just the opposite problem. It had more than 4,000 applicants who are competing for enrollment. Only 47 of them will be accepted.

The institution of learning that is so successfully bucking the trend in higher education is Ringling Bros. Clown College. You are free to draw your own editorial conclusion on what this says about our current state of affairs.

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The most valuable gift you can give another is a good example.

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A good supervisor, someone once said, is a guy who can step on your toes without messing up your shine.

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MESSY MARCH

Up in Maine, we are told, March is referred to as the month of quagmires.

If that is true, then the Mid-South has more in common with Maine that we'd ever have guessed.

With the month more than half gone, about the kindest thing to be said of this March is that it is on the wane. We've had winds, sleet, a tough of snow, and rain, rain, rain. With the great Mississippi River right at our doorstop to take it all away, the ground water still cannot run off fast enough to empty the drains, the creeks, the puddles and pools. Anyone who hasn't had wet feet and the sniffles lately just has not been out-of-doors much.

It's all this inclemency, all this mushy mess, that makes those first signs of spring so welcome. And it is consoling, as you look closely at the tips of the tree limbs, to see the budding life that is waiting , like us, for March to end.

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EARLY TO BED

The little city boy was spending his first night on a farm. The next morning, he was awakened much earlier than usual by the activity around him. As he rubbed the sleep out of his eyes, he remarked, "It doesn't take long to stay here all night, does it?"

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Life was a business without profits until Jesus replaced me as Chairman of the Board.

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Maturity begins when we're content to feel we're right about something without feeling the necessity to prove someone else wrong.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Is the Ambassador working for U.S. or for South Vietnam?

By JACK ANDERSON
with
Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — It's difficult to determine whether Graham Martin, the American ambassador to South Vietnam, is working for the United States or for Gen. Nguyen Van Thieu's government.

The ascerbic Martin, whose undiplomatic outbursts have become legendary, has been in constant hot water with Congress for his staunch defense of the Thieu regime.

One of his cables to the State Department, for example , suggested it would be the "height of folly" to give "an honest and detailed answer" to questions from Sen. Ted Kennedy, D-Mass., about foreign aid.

We have now obtained Martin's cables on the issue of political prisoners. He received instructions ,which went out to embassies around the world, to determine whether local leaders had been jailed for "political purposes."

Characteristically, Martin accepted as gospel the South Vietnamese government's denials that it held any political prisoners. Yet the State Department sepecifically instructed him not to go to his host government for the prisoner information.

Cabled Martin: "The GVN (Government of Vietnam) has for over a year been the target of a well coordinated campaign to tar it with the political prisoner brush.

"The central theme, ceaselessly repeated in the press and other publiocations circulating in the United States and Western Europe is that the GVN is detaining 200,000 persons solely for their opposition to the Thieu administration. The charge is not true."

How did he know? He had asked the Thieu government, which had told him so. Continued Martin:

"The embassy has received scores of letters from Members of Congress, from U.S. citizens and from organizations like Amnesty International demanding release of alleged political prisoners. In many cases, the correspondents name the prisoner in question. The embassy has checked many of theses names with the Ministry of Interior. We have yet to find a documented case of a 'political prisoner.'"

Yet remarkably, visiting U.S. lawmakers have succeeded in locating several prisoners who have been jailed and tortured for opposing Thieu. Indeed, Martin tried to obstruct the legislators from getting the truth about the prisoners.

For example, three House members -- Don Fraser, D-Minn., Bella Abzug, D.-N.Y., and Millicent Fenwick, R.-N.J., -- interviewed a prisoner named Huynh Tan Mam who had been thrown in the slammer for allegedly conspiring with Communists. He had been tortured so badly that he had to be hauled into court on a stretcher.

Mam swore to the Americans that he was not guilty of the charges against him. He had been beaten badly, he said, in the presence of South Vietnamese officials. As the three legislators started to leave, Mam slipped them a letter written in blood.

A Fraser aide, Robert Boettcher, spoke with a girl who said she had been picked up "at random" from a marketplace crowd and had been imprisoned for eight months. She had been accused of being a Communist and had been tortured.

Another former political prisoner told Boettcher he had been "jabbed with sharp bamboo sticks" and had been smeared with "human excrement" while he was penned up.

During a meeting with President Thieu, Congressman Fraser requested permission to visit the 18 journalists who were recently jailed. He wanted to see them in private, he said, without any government officials present.

Thieu hemmed and hawed, but Ambassador Martin agreed to make the arrangements. But when Fraser showed up at police headquarters, he was given three ground rules:

1. He was not to discuss controversial issues with the prisoners; 2. He could ask them only for their names, dates of birth and state of health; and 3. He would be accompanied by government officials.

Fraser was so incensed, according to eye witnesses, that he "got red in the face" and dispatched an aide to contact Graham Martin. Back came the aide with word that Martin hadn't even bothered to make any arrangements.

The Saigon embassy has assured the State Department, by telegram, meanwhile, that denunciation of the Thieu regieme in print "is solid evidence that Saigon press continues to exercise very substantial measure of press freedom."

WIDOW VS. COMPUTER: An 88-year-old widow, who was about to lose all her property in a battle with an Internal Revenue Service computer, has appealed to us for help.

The computer insists that Mrs. Helen M. Loan, one of the original settlers of Lake Soap, Wash., owes a tax debt that, in fact, she has paid.

It started out as a $27,879.54 estate tax, which was paid by check on Oct. 16, 1974. But the IR S computer refused to take notice of the check and continued to dun her. Each time, penalties were added until the debt reached $29,198.79.

Finally, a cryptic notice warned that the IRS would confiscate her property and life savings "with no further notice to you" unless she paid up within 10 days.

An IRS spokesman, Dick Whiteman, admitted an error had been made and attributed the foul-up to "misdirected correspondence." He assured us that the "will do something to resolve this problem immediately."

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Inside White House: Ford-Rockefeller Woos That Labor 'Party'

WASHINGTON--There are those in the influential White House watchers circle who observe closely the game of musical tables. Who sits with whom--and where--are the sought-after clues in the ceaseless search for the "most inflential man" in the presidential milieu.

Some of the specialists who use this technique, rather than accepting the conclusions of news features on more flashy types, believe the most influential man in the White Houe today and closest to the President is his 60-year-old former law partner, Philip Buchen.

Officially the self-effacing Mr. Buchen is counsel to the President. He was appointed less than a week after Mr. Ford was sworn in.

Recently Bucen has cropped up in the White House labor operation. This is significant because Mr. Ford and Vice President Rockefeller have been wooing union chiefs with a political passion.

There was, for example, the now much discussed "F Street Club" dinner on March 19. It was thrown by three former Secretaries of Labor and Harvard president Derek Bok. It was a small soiree. The President relaxed. He wandered through the group, hopped the four tables and made certain Phil Buchen met the crowd (about 50 persons). There was much gaiety, bon mots, better food and small talk amongst labor's biggest men. Among the union chiefs, there were only two old friends of the President--the Seafarers' Paul Hall and Teamsters' chief Frank Fitzsimmons. There was no dais. But at one table sat the President, the four hosts, AFL-CIO president George Many, the guest of honor (new Secretary of Labor John Dunlop)--and Phil Buchen.

This was odd. Buchen has not been known to mix with the labor leaders. His presence at the premier table surprised some of the other politically sophisticated guests.

In that small gathering no one could be at a "bad" table. But sitting with others was presidential assistant Bill Seidman, White House economic coordinator, who had been in close contact with some labor leaders in recent months. All tables were equal. But he wasn't at the table more equal than the others. One of the surprised guests, in Sherlock Holmes fashion, added to these items still another clue. Earlier that day Fitzsimmons had visited with President Ford in the White House for about a half hour. They talked, among other thngs, about trucking and weights and transportation and golf. Fitz had gone into the Oval Office with Dunlop--and the virtually unknown new Domestic Affairs Council executive director, Jim Cannon. Just the four of them.

The 56-year-old Cannon is Vice President Rockefeller's hand-picked man to run the council which soon enough will develop into a powerful national force. It can cut across cabinet jurisdictions. It will make contact with governors and mayors everywhere. It will concentrate on urban affairs. It will influence the flow of billions of dollars.

And the invitation to Fitz to drop in on the President had come from Buchen. This is also odd. Fitz has known Bill Seidmn for many years. The Seidman accounting firm had been among the earliest auditors, perhaps the first, of the Teamsters' huge Central State Pension Fund.

Thus it appeared to some that the White House was setting itself up for the national election season. True, the Ford-Rockefeller team has labor's very own respected favorite professor, John T. Dunlop, as the unions' input into the administration. But Dunlop must be gauged correctly. As someone remarked the night of the party, "It is said that Dunlop is coldly calculating. That's not true. He is warmly calculating."

Dunlop will stay with the economics of it,bucking Secretary of the Treasury Bill Simon and tight money Federal Reserve chairman Arthur Burns. Dunlop won't move out of his jurisdiction. He's too wise to politick in this arena and atmosphere. Inside labor, yes. Outside, no.

Thus President Ford needs a parallel operation with new top-level liaison men--Phil Buchen for Ford and Jim Cannon for Rockefeller.

It won't be easy. George Meany takes a lot of wooing. I do believe that because of the disrepair of the Democratic and Republican party organizations, Meany and his own "party," the Committee on Political Education (COPE -AFL- CIO) will be the balance of power in November '76.

And just last Thursday Meany disclosed how tough he can get. He clobbered Mr Ford, Secretary Kissinger and the White House with a slasing attack on the administration's foreign policy.

Calling for a complete reassessment of this policy, Meany charged it has " produced disillusionment everywhere and success nowhere" and that the policy of detente is "in ruins.the wreckage is global."

This was part of a long denunciation. So the President--personally and through his trusted Phil Buchen--and Rockefeller are on the move. They sure want supprt of that labor "party" if possible.

Ward one alderman re-elected

BENTON--Incumbent Jim Wilhelm won re-election as ward one alderman in the only race for city office during Tuesday's city elections. Wilhelm polled 47 votes compared to the 26 received by challenger David Mack. Jack Thorne, a write-in candidate, received three votes.

Citizens cast many write-in votes for candidates of other city offices as well. Incumbent Monroe Bollinger, the only announced candidate for the office of mayor, won re-election with 90 votes.

Write-in candidates for the office of mayor included John Allen, who received four votes; Tom Stroup, who received one vote; and Jon Mack, who received one vote.

Incumbent Mary Halter, running without opposition, won re-election to the office of city collector with 102 votes. Mary Wilhelm received one vote as a write-in candidate.

Incumbent Clayton Hasenkemp, running without opposition for the office of ward two alderman, won re-election with 29 votes. Richard McIntosh received one vote as a write-in candidate.

There were no announced candidates running for the offices of police judge and city marshal. Clarence Cannon received 12 write-in votes for police judge, winning the position.

Other write-in candidates for the office were Joe Stuckey, who received two votes; Joe Thompson who received two votes; and Walter Ziegler, Wesley Urhahn, John Seabaugh and Donnie Bollinger, who received one vote each.

Write-in candidate Joe Thompson was elected city marshall with 25 votes. Other write-in candidates for the position included Larry Adams, Henry Urhahn, David Mack and Bobbie Bollinger, who each received one vote.

Long Distance

The first known system for delivering water to cities was built by the Phoenicians. The Greeks copied the system of digging tunnels to bring water to their cities, and the Romans developed it with aqueducts 50 to 100 feet high that brought water to Rome from more than 60 miles away.

Phillips, Taylor elected

MORLEY--No candidates filed for the alderman positions in each of the two wards of the city, but voters filled the two positions by write-in votes in Tuesday's city election.

In ward one, Vester Phillips won the alderman position with 11 write in votes and in ward two C.B. Taylor won the alderman position with seven write-in votes.

Haywood City elects trustees

HAYWOOD CITY--Eddie Walton, Percy White and Bryant Moore were elected trustees in Tuesday's village elections, defeating Sedel Lester and Lee Hamilton.

Walton and White were the top vote getters, gathering 37 each. Moore received 27.

Lester received 16 votes and Hamilton tallied 15.

Walton is to serve a two-year term and White and Moore will each serve a one-year term.

Johnson, Watkins elected

MORLEY--Incumbents Jimmie G. Johnson and Louis S. Watkins, running without opposition, won re-election to the Scott County Central R-5 school board in Tuesday's school elections.

Johnson received 211 votes and Watkins received 222 votes. Both will serve for three-year terms.

Hilleman top vote getter

SCOTT CITY--Albert Hillemann and Joy Venable polled 387 votes and 307 votes respectively to win the two positons on the Illmo-Scott City R-1 school board in Tuesday's school elections.

David Gene Thompson also received 214 votes, Dean Little received 193 and Dorris O. Payne received 134.

3 elected by write-in votes

VANDUSER--Despite the lack of announced candidates, the three trustee positions were filled by write-in votes in Tuesday's village elections.

Elected trustees were Milburn McClain with 43 write-in votes, Kenneth Dohogne with 37 write-in votes and Billy Renagel with 29 write-in votes.

No person had officially filed for the offices.

Commerce elects trustees

COMMERCE--Incumbents Ann Huck, Clyde Reed, Albert Vinson and B.R. Bom, running without opposition, were re-elected as village trustees in Tuesday's election.

Reed was the top votegetter with 31. Bom came in second with 29 votes. Mrs. Huck received 26 and Vinson 25.

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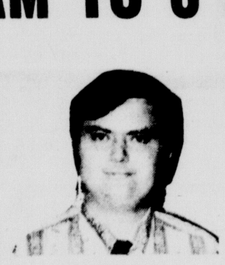

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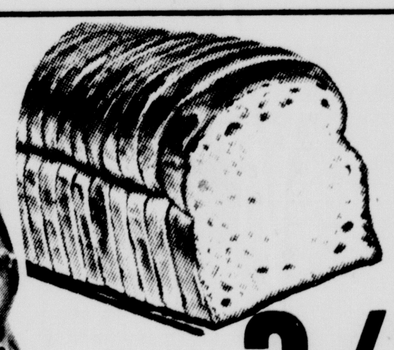

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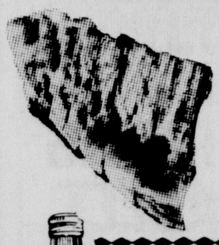

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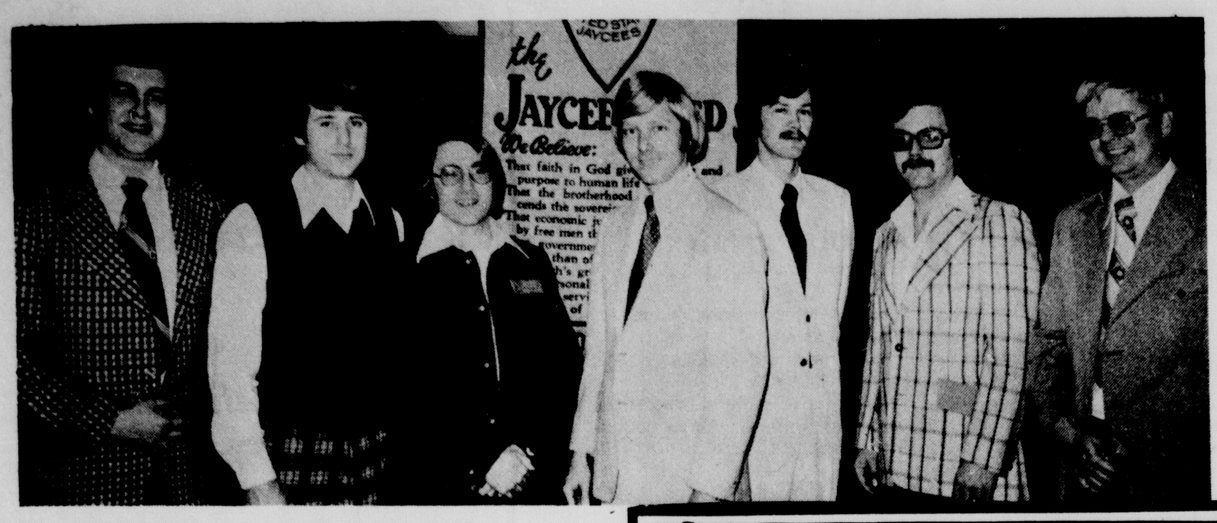

Jaycees elect officers

Steve Taylor, left, was elected president of the Sikeston Jaycees Tuesday night at the Country Club. Other officers elected are from left, George Gilmore, first vice president; Ed Aldrich, second vice president; Ned Matthews, treasurer; David Boyer, secretary; and David Byrd and Bill Wellborn, state delegates, Jackson Clay Hunter and Clayton Vandivort were also elected state delegates.

Former alderman is elected mayor

SCOTT CITY — James Cauble, former ward four alderman, was elected mayorby a 95-vote margin over incumbent Clifford Campbell in Tuesday's city elections. Cauble received 328 votes compared to Campbell's 233.

In the race for city collector, incumbent Mrs. Virginia Richardson won re-election with 307 votes, compared to 239 cast for her challenger, Mrs. Mary Ann Weisenborn.

John Hockersmith won the position of ward two alderman in the only other race for city office. He received 64 votes, compared to the 27 tallied by Richard Hink. John Schlenker also received four votes as a write-in candidate.

Incumbent Wesley Holdcroft, running without opposition, was re-elected ward one alderman with 87 votes.

Marvin Arnold, incumbent ward three alderman, was re-elected without opposition, receiving 184 votes.

Incumbent R. G. Hanschen, unopposed was re-elected ward four alderman with 128 votes.

Incumbent police judge H. Wes Page, unopposed was re-elected with 476 votes.

400,000 have not filed taxes

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — About 369,000 state income tax refunds already have been mailed to taxpayers, but more than 400,000 Missourians still have not filed their returns due April 15, the director of the Division of Taxation and Collection said Tuesday.

A. Gerald Reiss said his office expects to handle 1.1 million returns this year, and only 691,000 have been received.

The rate of refunds already mailed back to taxpayers this year far exceeds this time last year, when only 94,500 had been returned, he noted.

About 200 tax returns for last year still have not been sent back to taxpayers.

Reiss attributed this year's comparative success so far to a reduction of the non-tax return work load in his office, allowing full attention to be given to the returns.

He refused to guess when all the returns might be processed and mailed back this year.

Chaffee elects 3 board members

CHAFFEE — Mrs. Betty Montgomery and Donald E. Vance polled 532 votes and 354 votes respectively to win two positions on the Chaffee R-2 school board in Tuesday's school elections.

Also running for the positions, but losing, were Mrs. Siddie Swain who received 301 votes; James Williams, 126; and A. W. Phegley, 87.

Winning a one-year unexpired term was William Cannon with 385 votes, compared to the 324 votes received by Mrs. Edna Grant.

Vanduser race close

VANDUSER — Myriel Burton, Terry Burton and Bill Partin won the three aldermanic positions in an extremely close race during Tuesday's city elections. Six candidates were running for the three positions, but the vote spread was only five votes.

Myriel Buerton received the greatest number of votes with 56; Terry Burton received 54; and Partin, an incumbent, received 55.

Incumbent Elve Johnson tallied 53 votes as did Donald Drew. Ina Mae Glueck, also an incumbent, received 51.

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BENTON — Bob Laseter and incumbent Herman Hitt were elected to the Benton-Kelly R-4 School District in Tuesday's school elections. They were unopposed. Hitt received 297 votes and Laseter got 268.

2 trustee posts filled

DIEHLSTADT — Harold Presson received 53 votes and Ervin Thomann totaled 46 to win the two village trustee positions in Tuesday's village elections.

Arthur Romanouski received 25.

Hayti receives $107,400 grant

HAYTI — The Economic Development Administration of the Department of Commerce recently approved a $107,400 grant requested by Hayti to provide sewer facilities to a commercial and industrial site at the intersection of Interstate Highways 55 and 155.

Hayti is undertaking the project in connection with the area's long-range plans to create jobs for unemployed workers and to diversify its dependence on farming and forest-products industries for incomes, according to Wilmer D. Mizell, assistant secretary of commerce for economic development.

The city will add $71,600 to meet the $179,000 total cost of the project.

The Prayer

"I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die." (John 11:25-26)

PRAYER: Father, we would remember that Jesus told us that if we have faith nothing is impossible. May You always remind us that He conquered death. Help us to have faith in Him, turn to Him, even when life seems dead. Amen.

Oran voters defeat tax levy increase

ORAN — A proposed 40 cents per $100 tax levy increase for the Oran R-3 School District was defeated by voters in Tuesday's school elections. The vote was 198 for the 249 against.

The proposed levy was for school purposes, with 10 cents of the 40 cents per $100 to go into the teachers' fund and the other 30 cents of the increase to go into the incidental fund.

Had the increase been approved by the voters, it would have increased the tax rate for the district to $3.60 per $100 valuation.

Incumbents H. J. Todt and Robert Tetley were re-elected Tuesday to the school board, receiving 284 votes and 200 votes respectively.

Challengers James Vernon Smith received 195 votes, J. A. Tyler received 135 and Jimmie Henson received 87.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Third position filled by write-in

BLODGETT — Only two persons filed for three trustee positions, but the third position was filled by a write in vote in Tuesday's village elections.

Harvey Parker and Dean Riley, both announced candidates, received 24 and 22 votes respectively. The third person elected was W. A. Beggs, who received 19 write-in votes.

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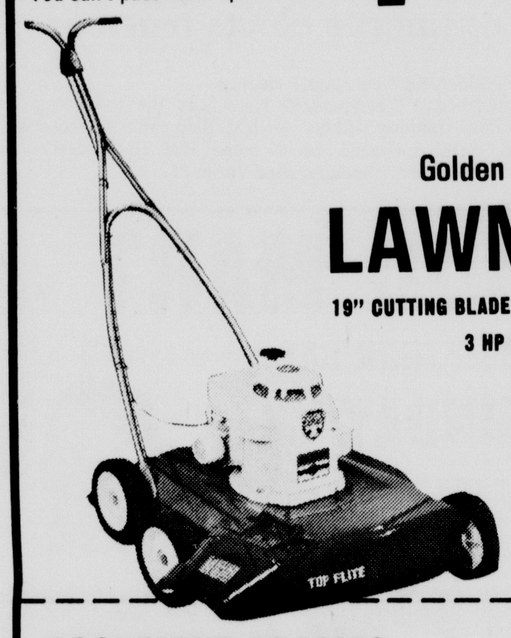
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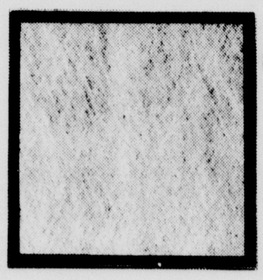
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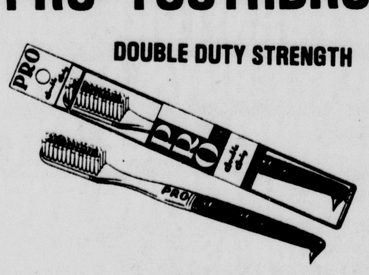
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Hair: It is softly romantic for spring

For work

More curls and more width will be featured in U. S. hair fashions for spring and summer 1975.

Additional width on the sides of the head, along with a variety of curl sizes, will soften the face and provide adequate balance for spring and summer's loose and large silhouettes in fashion apparel, Louise Cotter of Detroit, Mich., styles director for the Association of American Hairdressers, predicts.

"Spring-summer hair above all should be soft and touchable. Gone are the lacquered looks!" says Ms.. Cotter. "There is a big emphasis in spring- summer for romantic clothing that moves with the wearer. Likewise, any romantic hair fashions created to go with today's looks should also move with great and natural ease."

Ms. Cotter directed the creation of both short and mid-length hairstyles for the association's exclusive styling body - the official hair fashion committee. Stylists from throughout the country are reviewing the styles for their own interpretations.

For evening

Ann Landers

Cheating husband makes wife sick

Dear Ann Landers: I've read many times your advice to women who discover their husbands are running around: "Wait it out."

After being married for more than 25 years I learned my husband is seeing a much younger woman. While I wait, how do I keep from losing my mind? How do I acquire an appetite so I can eat? How can I keep smiling in front of the children and other relatives when my heart is breaking? How do I hold back the tears until I'm alone so I can cry my eyes out? How do I drive thoughts of suicide out of my mind because I cannot face life without him?

And finally...how long does it take for him to come back?--Alone And Waiting

Dear Alone: First, how long have have you been waiting? A month? Six months, a year? Does he know YOU know about the other woman? Has he asked for a divorce? There are many unaswered questions in your letter.

This I can tell you: No man is worth killing yourself over. And you CAN face life without him. You'd have to ife he were hit by a truck.

You need counseling and I urge you to get it. The pent-up emotions you describe can make you physically ill if you don't find a release. Ventilation can be immensely helpful. Get going.

Dear Ann Landers: This is not a problem. It's a suggestion. After listening for years to women refer to themselves as "just a housewife" (always with a tone of apology, as if it's something to be ashamed of), I decided there should be a more dignified job)description which suggests status. The term I invented . is "Domestic Engineer."

Will you please print my letter and get the word to America's homemakers? I am sick and tired of "just a housewife" and I'll bet a brand new vacuum sweeper that millions of others are, too.--Domestic Engineer Of Six

Dear Dome: "What's in a name? A rose by any other name would smell as sweet." But if you think "Domestic Engineer" smells better than "housewife," I'll buy it. Can't hurt. Might help. Thanks for writing.

Dear Ann Landers: This letter is a rebuttal to the one signed "Mrs. Nobody." She wrote about being "roundly snubbed" by a woman she'd been acquainted with for several years. They had even served on several committees together.

Your reply was that if the acquaintance is over 50, chances are the ol' eyes aren't as good as they once were and she walked right by without recognizing her.

Listen, Ann, maybe her eyes aren't so good, but her EARS should be O.K. I am over 50 and I can't see very well, but if someone says a pleasant "hello" I can't imigine walking right on without responding.

We have a few of those snobs in our town and everyone knows who they are. Nothing is wrong with their eyes or their ears, but plenty is wrong with their sense of importance. They just think they are too good to talk to ordinary people. Every community has its stuck-up ladies, so please, Ann, don't make excuses for them,"You Know Who You Are

Dear You Know: I'm sure you have a point, but such people are so beyond my comprehension that I have trouble acknowledging their existence .They are more to be pitied than censured.

Discover how to be date without falling hook, line and sinker. Ann Landers' booklet, "Dating Do's and Donts," will help you to be more poised and sure of yourself on dates. Send 50 cents in coin along with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope with your request to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 1400 , Elgin, Ill. 60120.

At Wit's Wnd

The spoiler busy in the bathroom

As Dante would have said (had he owned a TV set), "There is a special place in hell for a man who walks into the room during the last five minutes of a tense drama and asks, "So, what's happened so far?"

Someone mumbles, "It's almost over."

"What time did it start?" he asks.

"Fifty-five minutes ago."

"Is that Mildred Natwick?"

"No."

"It looks like Mildred Natwick. Why are the police circling the building?"

"The crazy in the blue jacket planted a bomb."

"Why would he a thing like that? Is this a rerun?"

"Please!"

"I think we're missing a special on the other channel."

"shhhhhhhh!"

"I don't know how you can watch this thing. It doesn't make any sense. I've been here three minutes and 15 people have flashed across the screen. It's like Mission Impossible. They're so busy screwing switch plates off the wall and crawling through heater ducts I never get the plot. Let me see what we're all missing on the other channel."

When the ugly mob regains control of the knob, the theme music is playing and the credits are rolling by. None of us will ever know if the bomb was deactivated on time.

When the next TV hour begins, the entire family summons the agitator who yells from the bathroom, "I'm busy."

With precisely five minutes left in the drama, he reappears and asks, "So what's this one all about?"

One of the viewers takes a deep breath, "It's about a dwarf who sells encyclopedias who killed his tall basketball star roommate with a frozen rack of lamb and the chief of police is about to eat the murder weapon but he is suspicious because the B is missing from every set of encyclopedias he sells, pointing out his bizarre hostility."

"Is that Mildred Natwick?"

"No, it's Peter Falk."

Sixty-five per cent of American families watch TV together. Violence has increased 33 per cent among American families. The former figure is about to decrease; the latter increase.

Meat, poultry prices rise

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Meat and poultry prices generally rose at the retail level last week while prices for most other food items fell, according to a weekly market-basket survey by the Missouri Farm Bureau.

Among beef cuts, the survey of 50 supermarkets across the state showed the average price of sirloin steak and ground beef were the only ones not increasing.

A pound of sirloin steak remained steady at $1.62 and ground beef fell a nickel to 69 cents a pound. But blade roast at 86 cents, arm roast at $1.08 and rib steak at $1.45 each rose four cents a pound while T-bone steak rose two cents to $1.76 a pound. Round steak was up eight cents a pound to $1.46.

A shank portion of ham was down nine cents a pound to 76 cents and a butt portion fell seven cents to 88 cents a pound. Pork blade roast was also off, dropping four cents to $1 a pound. But center cut pork chops were up a nickel to $1.55 a pound and pork steak was up two centsto $1.09 a pound.

Whole fryer chickens rose q penny to 51 cents a pound and cut up parts climbed three cents to 59 cents a pound.

A gallon of whole milk fell a penny to $1.46 while 2 per cent remained steady at $1.37.

The price for a dozen grade A eggs fell in all three categories with extra large down three cents to 75 cents, large off a penny to 72 cents and medium two cents lower to 65 cents.

A one and one half pound loaf of bread was down two cents to 60 cents, ten pounds of sugar fell 17 cents to $4.30, and ten pounds of red potatoes rose six cents to 95 cents.

Household hints

Whole chickens are several cents a pound less than cut-up fryers. Save by buying them whole and cutting them up yourself. (Hint: A sharp knife and a pair of kitchen shears makes this a cinch.)

Don't worry if your children eat wieners right from the package -- they're fully cooked when purchased -- and they make nutritious "in-betweens" as well as main meals.

Diabetes branch slates meeting

Delta Branch of the SeMo Diabetes Association will meet at 7 p.m., in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association meeting room.

To loosen milk ring in baby bottles, put one-half teaspoon baking soda in bottle and fill with water. Let stand for a few minutes. Soak nipples in soda solution. Rinse and sterilize as usual.

For additional women's news, turn to page 21.

Make your own chocolate milk, using reliquified milk -- it's much cheaper than buying chocolate milk ready-mixed.

today's woman

"more spice than everything nice"

Educational convention scheduled for April 11-12

BENTON - The National Association for the Education of Young Children (A.E.Y.C.) will hold its annual convention at Tan-Tar-A at Osage Beach April 11-12. The convention is open to all people interested in early childhood education.

Featured speaker of the two-day meeting will be Dr. Burton White, Harvard University of Cambridge, Mass., who will speak on "How Important Is Early Childhood Education?" Luncheon speaker will be Dr. Donald Clifton, director of Selection Research, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebr.

The convention opens Friday evening with a banquet. Registration will be the afternoon of April 11 and from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m., April 12.

The Windgate Building at Tan-Tar-A will be the site of a series of workshops on Saturday at 9:45 a.m. Those registering for the convention may choose from among 18 different workshops. Topics include religion and the young child, child abuse, learning disabilities, creative movement, creating with paper, and the law and the young child. Sessions will be one and one-half hour.

The National Association for the Education of Young Children tries to provide a medium for study, interpretation and improvement of the education and development of young children. Advancement and encouragement of this purpose is accomplished through state meetings such as this one. The Meramec affiliate which is sponsoring this convention will be joined by members of affiliate groups from St. Louis, Kansas City, Rolla, Springfield, Cape Girardeau, Monett and Joplin.

There will be a registration fee for the convention. Room reservations at Tan-Tar-A will include the banquet and luncheon tickets.

For further information or registration forms contact James Scheibe, 1305 R Truman Avenue, Rolla, Mo. 65401, at telephone number 314-364-8965 or local A.E.Y.C. members. The University of Missouri Extension Center will also provide additional information.

Dance students perform

Leah Belvin, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Belvin of Matthews performed an acrobatic dance to "The Entertainer" at the March 28 Easter fashion parade sponsored by the Matthews Firetts in the high school gymnasium.

Matthews Firetts sponsored an Easter fashion parade March 28 in Matthews High School gymnasium. As entertainment, Sikeston dance students of Mrs. Patti Simmons of Parma performed "Squeaky, The Mouse." From left are Jill Miller, 106 Link Drive, Dawn Buchanan, Route Three, Kristi Hanor of East Prairie, Shawn Buchanan, Route Three, Joan Chegwidden, 731 Mimosa Drive, Laura Maddox, 320 Edmondson Drive, and Deneke Borders, 703 Hickory Drive.

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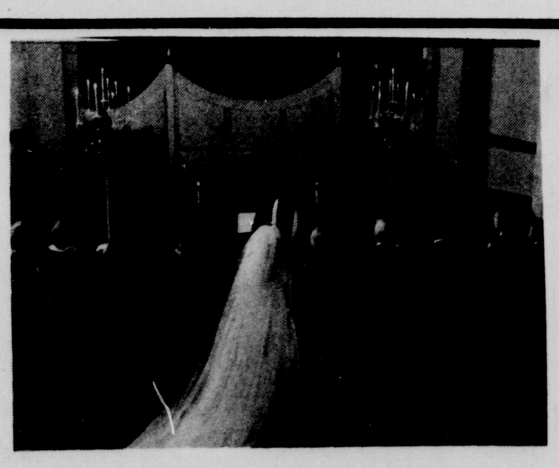

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Bank official testifies he was given $7,500

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Rudolph E. "Doc Z" Zatezalo, testifying in the trial of Kansas City banker Alex Barket, said Tuesday he was given a $7,500 bonus for the explicit purpose of using the money for a political contribution.

Zatezalo said he was given the money while an assistant vice-president of the Civic Plaza National Bank. At the time Barket was president and chairman of the board of Civic Plaza. Zatezalo told the court he gave the $7,500 to Delton L. Houtchens, then Democratic state chairman, to give to the Hubert Humphrey presidential campaign on Oct. 14, 1968.

Barket is on trial on two separate indictments which charge him with misapplying bank funds in making two alleged illegal political contributions. The trial continues today.

One indictment refers to the $7,500 contribution allegedly made under the guise of a bonus to Zatezalo. The other is an alleged $300,000 contribution to the Regular Democrats during the 1970 Jackson County primary election in the guise of a loan.

Zatezalo testified he went to work for the bank in 1965 after Houtchens got him the job. He said he had no previous experience in banking, and that he became acquainted with Houtchens while a chiropractor in Clinton, Mo. He said he became a fund raiser for the Democratic party when Houtchens became state chairman.

On direct questioning by Robert Schneider, an assistant U.S. attorney, Zatezalo testified that the $7,500 contribution was discussed Oct. 14, 1968 at a meeting attended by himself, Barket and Houtchens.

Lankford elected mayor

CHAFFEE--Les D. Lankford barely defeated Robert H. Capshaw by 14 votes for the office of mayor in Tuesday's city elections. Lankford received 395 votes and Capshaw received 381.

Claude Curtis won the ward one alderman race with 73 votes, defeating incumbent Carlos Crump, who received 51 votes. Another candidate, D.R. Boulware received eight votes.

E.E. McConnell Jr. won the ward two alderman race by a two-to-one margin over Tom Hope. McConnell received 105 votes and Hope received 52. A third candidate, George F. Stone, received 37 votes.

James R. Delezene was runnng without opposition for the position of ward three alderman. He received 114 votes.

Bill Whistler was elected as alderman from ward four with 98 votes, with Glen Hinkenbein receiving 88 and Bill Hagan receiving 82.

Ronald Moyers won the unexpired term of alderman from ward four with 148 votes, compared to the 113 received by Jessie H. Gettings.

Running unopposed were Edna Murphy for treasurer, who received 633 votes; William G. Vickery for police judge; who received 575 ; Charles Cunningham for collector, who received 648; and Joe Perry Rice III for city attorney, who received 633.

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Embezzlement charges filed

BLOOMFIELD--Embezzlement charges were filed last week against former Bernie Chief of Police Vernon Cornelison, according to Stoddard County Prosecuting Attorney Phillip Ayers.

Cornelison, 41, is charged with taking bond money in the amount of $125. The money, which was paid on Oct. 20, 1973 by Jess Bennett for the release of Terry DeJournett, has not been accounted for. The shortage was discovered in a recent audit.

Cornelison served as Bernie Chief of Police for seven years before resigning last May.

A warrant for Cornelison has been issued but he is believed to be out of the state.

Owens, French top vote getters in Charleston

CHARLESTON--Two directors were elected Tuesday in the school election for three-year terms.

William A. "Bill" Owens was elected with 728 votes, followed by Jim French with 662 votes from a slate of six candidates.

Mrs. Dorothy D. Barrett was third in the race, receiving 548 votes, followed by incumbent candidate Norbert Rolwing, who tallied 502 votes. Fifth in the race was Mrs. Jane Banta Hopkins, who received 346 votes and Leo J. Schott was sixth with 336 votes.

Voters failed to approve a tax levy proposal onthe ballot with 427 for and 689 against. The tax proposal was not an increase in the $3.70 tax per $100 assessed valuation. The board was seeking approval to change 10 cents from the debt service fund to the incidental fund, which must be approved by voters.

EAST PRAIRIE

In the R-2 School District, incumbent candidates Clayton Allstun and Donald Dick were re-elected for three year terms on the board of education.

Allstun received the highest amount of votes, 542 and Dick tallied 526 votes. The third candidate, Jim Robinson, Jr., received a total of 204 votes in the unofficial count.

The board did not seek an increase in thepresent tax levy of $3.25 per $100 assessed valuatin, so no tax proposal was on the ballot.

Sam Jones, who was unopposed for a two year term on the county board of education received 497 votes for re-election from the second district. John Joe Bryant, also unopposed, was elected with 527 to a one-year term on the county board from the second district, filling a vacancy left by the late Thurston Drummond.

Dennis Quertermous received 1,204 votes for election to the county board from the first district for a two-year term.

Write-in candidate elected alderman

ORAN — Write-in candidate Melton Harris won the position of ward four alderman in Tuesday's city elections. He received 36 votes, compared to 23 for Earl Johns and seven for Richard Randolph. Both Johns and Randolph were announced candidates.

Benny Evans polled 31 votes to win the position of ward one alderman. Dempsey Graham received 16.

Millard Brinker won the position of ward three alderman with 57 votes, compared to the 39 received by Larry Dannenmueller and the 17 received by W. M. Halter. Another candidate, Mary Ann Halter, did not receive any votes.

Wesley Harris received 56 votes to win the position of ward three alderman. The other announced candidate for the position, Jerome Diebold, received 31 and D. Perry received one write-in vote.

Body recovered

PORTAGEVILLE--The body of Jesse Lee Robinson, 24, of Route Three, who died by accidental drowning, according to New Madrid County Coroner, Gene Clayton, was recovered at 11:47 a.m. Tuesday from a rainfilled ditch along the Jaywye road five miles northwest of town.

Robinson had been missing since Saturday night when he failed to arrive home after last being seen walking in a flooded farm field toward his house, located one-half mile north on Little River Ditch.

Robinson's body was found about 75 yards from where he was last seen. Deputy Sheriff C.B. Correthers discovered the body in six-to-seven-foot deep water while dragging the ditch with a garden rake.

The body is at Richards Funeral Home in New Madrid.

Incumbents re-elected

Three incumbents were re-elected to their seats on the Miner Board of Trustees.

Re-elected were L.F. Wheeler, with 137 votes, Milton Sadler, with 108 votes, and Floyd Dillender with 113 votes.

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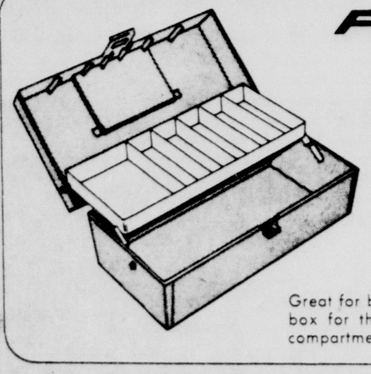

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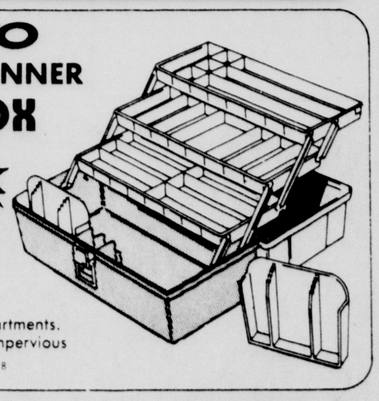

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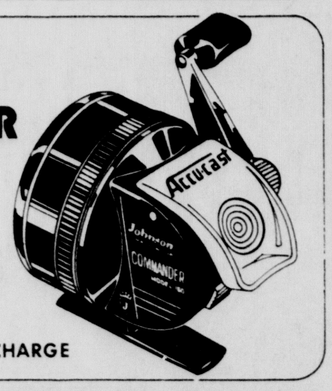

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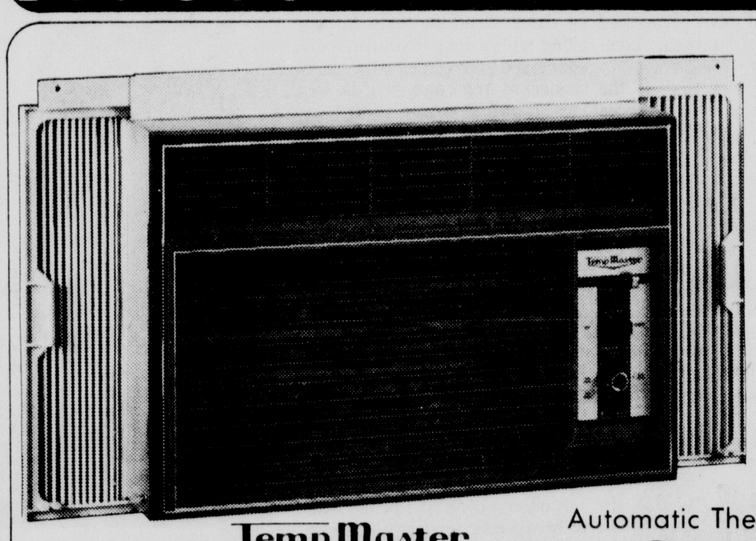

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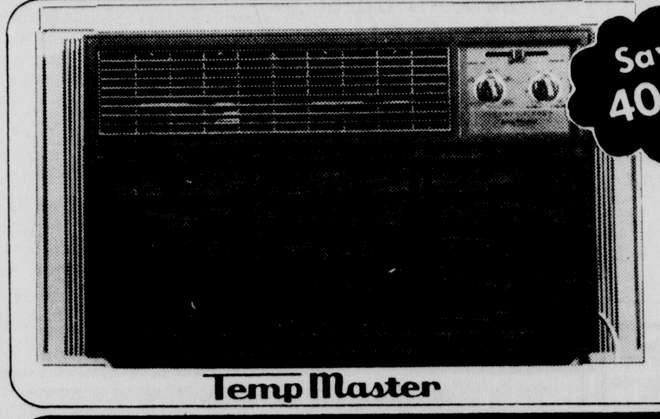

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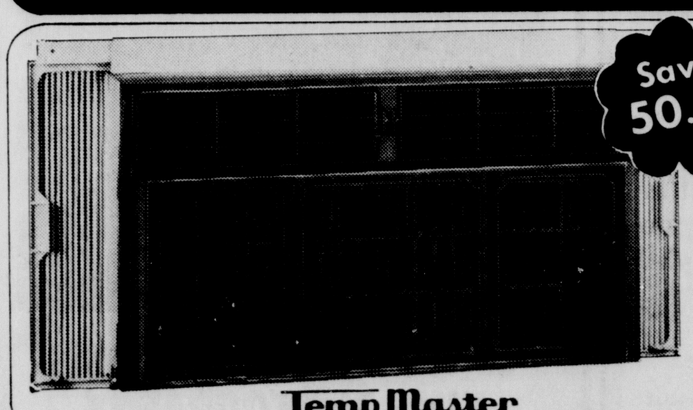

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Prairie hosts area meeting

EAST PRAIRIE — The Future Farmers of America organization of East Prairie High School was host March 27 for the Area 12 Awards Banquet held in the A. J. Martin Elementary School's multi-purpose room.

Proficiency awards and Area 12 contest awards were presented, new officers for the Area 12 District were installed and the featured speaker for the event was Bill Whitener, president of the Fredericktown school board.

Kenneth D. Williams, vice president of Sikeston Production Credit Association, presented $25 savings bonds to all first place winners in Area 12 in the various categories of proficiency. The first place winner in agricultural processing was Joe Neager of Ste. Genevieve.

Denise Whitener of Fredericktown was recipient of the first place award in ornamental horticulture. David Whitener of Fredericktown took first place award in sheep production. Other first place winners and their categories are as follows: Mike Coffman, Ste. Gnevieve, horse proficiency; Ronnie King, Fredericktown, placement in agriculture production; Floyd Shell, Fredericktown, livestock production; Tom Tawfall, Fredericktown, dairy production; Robert Felter, Kelly, home and farmstead improvement; John Kindlesparger, Fredericktown, fish and wildlife.

Roy Michael, Fredericktown, poultry production; Ronald Parson, Fredericktown, forestry; Will Smith, Puxico, agricultural mechanics; C. J. Sebastian, Fredericktown, swine production; Jay Hansmann, Fredericktown, soil and water management; James Simpkins, East Prairie, crop production; Leslie Collier, Kelly, agriculture electrification; Jerry Graves, Ste. Genevieve, beef production; Kevin Mainord, East Prairie, sales and service; and Ron Tinsely, Fredericktown, outdoor recreation.

Chapters participating in the Annual Area Contests,held March 18 at Lutesville, were presented ribbons by Steve Lingle, president of the local FFA Chapter andt he retiring president of Area 12.

Contest results are as follows: Treasurer's book, Saint Genevieve, first place, Fredericktown, second place and Oran, third place; Secretary's book, Fredericktown, first place, East Prairie, second place, and Ste. Genevieve, third place; reporter's scrapbook, East Prairie, first place, Ste. Genevieve, second place, and Farmington, third place.

Creed speaker, Fredericktown, first place; Advance, second place; and Kelly, third place. Public speaker, Fredericktown, first; East Prairie, second; and Farmington, third. Beginning record book, Farmington, first; Fredericktown, second; and Ste. Genevieve, third. Completed record book, Bloomfield, first; East Prairie, second; and Ste. Genevieve, third; Parliamentary procedure team; Ste. Genevieve, first; Farmington, second; and Fredericktown, third.

Area 12 officers, installed for 1975-76, presented the closing ceremony. The new officers include: David Whitener of Fredericktown, president; Kenny Hulshof, Kelly of Benton, five president; Keith Jackson, Bloomfield, secretary Mike Morona, Advance, treasurer; Neal Neager, Ste. Genevieve, reporter; Rodney Wachter, Jackson, sentinel; James Goehman, Delta, parliamentarian; and Eric Smith, East Prairie, chaplain.

Schott and Westrich win

NEW HAMBURG — Melvin Sachott and Joseph Westrich were elected to the two positions on the Kelso-New Hamburg C-7 school board in Tuesday's school elections. Schott received 123 votes and Westrich 107.

Two other candidates, Charles P. Hess and Roger D. Record, received 92 and 45 votes respectively.

Tuesday night the school board held a short meeting and elected officers. Melvin Glueck was elected president of the board, Claude Dirnberger vice president, Marcus Russel secretary and Charles Grojean treasurer.

Eifert elected Illmo mayor

ILLMO–Raymond Eifert, running unopposed for re-election to the office of mayor, polled 102 votes in Tuesday's city electons.

Mrs. L.H. Shipman, running unopposed for re-election as alderwoman from ward two, received 65 votes and J.D. St. Clair, running unopposed for election as alderman from ward one received 37.

James F. Held, unopposed for police judge, received 100 votes and the Rev. William Dickey, running without opposition for the position of city collector, received 106 votes.

Nearly 97 per cent of the raw sugar produced in Hawaii is shipped to the U.S. mainland.

School official speaks

Bill Whitener, president of Fredericktown School Board, was the featured speaker at the Annual Area 12 Awards Banquet March 27 in East Prairie. Shown with Whitemer are Jay Hansmann of Fredericktown, vice president of Area 12 for 1974-75, left, and Steve Lingle of East Prairie, preesident of the East Prairie chapter and Area 12 during 1974-75.

$25 bond presented

Kenneth D. Williams, left, vice president of Sikeston Production Credit Association, presented Steve Lingle, president of the East Prairie Chapter of Future Farmers of America, a $25 bond for his chapter's Building Our American Communities award March 27 during the annual Area 12 Awards Banquet. Williams also presented $25 saving bonds to all first place winners in the various categories of proficiency.

4-H club meets

DEXTER — The March meeting of the Town and Country 4-H Club was held at the Dexter Central Elementary School.

The group discussed this year's 4-H camp and voted to pay travel expenses for members who meet the club's requirements.

The club also voted to have a bike ride on April 19.

Karen Davis was appointed to make a report on the care of the ears and Vic Elam will report on snake bites at the next meeting.

When the Cadet Chapel organ at West Point was installed in 1911, it had 2,400 pipes and cost $10,000. Today it contains 18,000 pipes, is worth between $800,000 and $1 million and West Point says it's the largest church organ in the world.

The number of visitors to Aruba set a record in 1974, the 17th consecutive year that a record for tourist traffic has been posted by the Caribbean island.

District officers installed

New Area 12 District officers of the Future Farmers of America were installed March 27 at the annual awards banquet hosted by the East Prairie chapter. From left, Eric Smith, East Prairie, chaplain; James Goehman, Delta, parliamentarian; Neal Neager, Ste. Genevieve, reporter; Kenny Hulshof, Benton, vice president; David Whitner, Fredericktown, president; Keith Jackson, Bloomfield, secretary; Mike Morona, Advance, treasurer; and Rodney Wachter, Jackson, sentinel.

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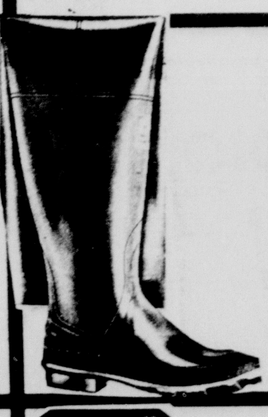

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Daily record

HOSPITAL NOTES
MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report:

April 2, 1975

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.-Surg.	141	121	12	8
Pediatrics	23	20	0	3
Obstetric	14	6	0	8
Intensive Care	7	5	0	2

Patients scheduled for admission today 6

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MISSOURI DELTA

Discharges:
Mary Haney, Dexter
Sada Perkins, Morley
Thomas Baker, Malden
Russell Crosno, Morehouse
Maggie Perry, Howrdville
Burl Thompson, Malden
Earcel Simers, Portageville
Karen Seay, Charleston
William Paylor, Sikeston
Barbara Scott, New Madrid
Marzella Crowley, Sikeston
Beulah Odum, Sikeston
Iantha Redman, Lilbourn
Trudie Lenderman, Sikeston
Barbara Turnbo, Sikeston
Sylvester Dublin, East Prairie
Geneva Godwin, East Prairie
Kenny Treadwell, Sikeston
James Smith, Sikeston
Doris Dejournett, Morehouse
Total patients discharged: 20

Total patients admitted: 25

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Clifford Halford, Hayti
Faye Brewer, Hayti
Thomas Burkeen, Hayti
Golden Sims, Hayti
Carrie Dodson, Hayti
Charles Morgan, Caruthersville
Donna Hayden, Caruthersville
Joyce Mills, Caruthersville
Vickie Tyus, Caruthersville
David Perry, Steele
Burt BAker, Steele
John Darrell, Lilbourn
Robert Braswell, Pascola
Rita Sutton, Portageville
Mary Brooks, Matthews
Richard Bagby, Risco
Released:
Joseph Person, Hayti
Joe Rash, Hayti
Clifford Allen, Hayti
William Lynn, Caruthersville
John Spades, Caruthersville
Patricia Talmadge, Caruthersville
Deborah Hollis, Caruth3rsville
Eva Buchanon, Caruthersville
Marquetta Holmes, Caruthersville
Cora Kelley, Steele
Hattie Cooper, Steele

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Vivian Patterson, Bloomfield
Kathy Eubanks, Dexter
William Boone, Bernie
Theresa Brown, Malden
Released:
Nellie Gaines, Dexter
Annie Smith, Brnie
Gloria Vancil, Bernie
Bruce Vancil, Dexter
Dorothy Jenkins, Morehouse

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
Clara Meeks, Chaffee
Released:
Walter Mays, Cape Girardeau
Lou Welker, Lutesville
Stephanie Williams, Jackson

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI
Released:
Mrs. Kirk Stewrt and son, Portageville
Mrs. Byron, Thornton, Fisk
Walter Holt, Dexter
Edonna Stull, Illmo

ST. FRANCIS
Released:
Mrs. Hallie Allen, Chaffee
Edward P. Blattel, Illmo

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID — Joseph Hill of New Madrid Route One has been bound over to Circuit Court for trial on two counts of burglary and larceny, after waiving preliminary hearings before Magistrate Judge John R. Bailey. Hill was placed under $500 bond on each charge.

He is accused of burglarizing the V. S. "Whitey" Wescoat home near the LaForge community and stealing several guns. He is also charged with burglarizing the home of J. P. Williams at LaForge and stealing guns.

Kenneth Morris, cheat and defraud, made restitution on check, $35 fine.

SPEEDING FINES
Sirvonue Perkins, $50; Michael Wayne Patterson, $44; Matthias Jung, $32; Denny Eugene Sloan, $30; Noah Thomas Crasy, $25; and Gary Dean Irvin, $20.

BIRTHS

ROSE — Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rose of Lilbourn are parents of their first child, a daughter born March 26 at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. She weighed eight pounds, one ounce and has been named Valerie Elizabeth.

Mrs. Rose is the former Janet Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price P. Thompson of New Madrid. Rose is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Craig of Malden. Mr. and Mrs. Rose are teachers in the Lilbourn unit of New Madrid County R-1 enlarged school district.

ARRESTS

Daniel Paul Wren, 924 N. Ranney, underage possession of intoxicating beverages.

Jimmy Darrell Hicks, 240 Watson, underage possession of intoxicating beverages.

Jack Lee Weddington, 924 N. Ranney, underage possession of intoxicating beverages.

Lee Hamilton, Benton Route One, assault and battery.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Tuesday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Wilma E. Crockett, 53, Howell, Mich., bruised right ankle in fall on steps; Theodore Laux, 28, Portageville, bruised right hand at work; Sandar G. McGee, 17, Sikeston, stepped on needle.

Mildred Berry, 47, Sikeston, sprained left wrist in fall; Rodney D. Smith, 6, Sikeston, cut finger on glass; Dennis Richards, 12, Sikeston, steppedon nail; Helen Martin, 53, Charleston, injured foot.

Robert Lee Jr., 14, Sikeston, bruised finger with baseball; Lois Harper, 59, Charleston, strained right shoulder in fall; Kathy Henry, 9, East Prairie, fractured right arm in fall; Hal Presley, 17, Sikeston, injured right elbow.

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk Sik	6½	7½
Anheuser Busch	37¾	38¼
Bk Bldg and Eq	11	11½
Chase Nat	11¾	12¾
Clinton Oil	1⅞	2
Martha Manning	1¼	1½
Olson Bros	1	1½
Pabst Brewing	27	27½
Scottish Inns	1¼	1¾
Wetterau	14¾	15¼

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	28¾
Amer. Tel & Tel	49
Amer Mtrs.	5⅞
Chrysler	10½
Columbia Gas	26⅜
Eaton Mfg	26⅝
Ford Mtrs	37
Gen. Mtrs.	40⅜
Interstate Brands	2⅞
Malone & Hyde	25
J C Penney	56⅛
New England Elec	15¾
Occidental Pet	13¼
WalMart Stores	19¾

EDITIRS NOTES: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Rowland and Co., 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

CHICAGO (AP) — Farm commodity futures prices were uneven in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, soybeans were unchanged to 5 cents a bushel lower, May 6.03; wheat was unchanged to 2½ higher, May 3.85; corn was ½ lower to ½ higher, May 3.02 and oats were ½ lower to 1¼ higher, May 1.58½.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Thursday: 4,500 hogs; 1,400 cattle and 50 sheep.

Hogs 3,500. Butchers 50-1.00 higher. Sows steady to 50 higher.

1-3 200-250 lb butchers 40.75-41.00.

1-3 Sows 300-400 lb 35.00-35.50; 400-450 lb 35.50-36.00; 450-500 lb 37.00-37.75; 500-600 lb 38.00-38.50.

Boars 32.00; under 250 lb 35.00.

Cattle 700. Not enough slaughter steers and heifers to fully test market. Cows and bulls steady.

Few good and choice 950-1150 lb slaughter steers yield 2-4 38.00-39.00. Few choice 800-1000 lb slaughter heifers yield 2-4 37.00-38.00.

Utility and commercial cows 19.00-23.00; cutter 17.00-19.00; canner 15.00-17.00. Bulls yield grade 1 26.00-27.00.

Sheep 250 head. Slaughter lambs 50 higher.

Spring slaughter lambs choice and prime 100-110 lb 46.00-47.00.

Shorn slaughter lambs choice and prime with No. 1 pelts 100 lbs 46.50. Wooled slaughter lambs choice and prime 85-110

The Weather Elsewhere
By The Associated Press
Wednesday

	HI	LO	PRC	Otlk
Albany	49	29		cdy
Albu'que	61	28		cdy
Amarillo	51	19		cdy
Anchorage	31	23		clr
Asheville	69	36		rn
Atlanta	69	54		cdy
Birmingham	74	55		rn
Bismarck	34	18		clr
Boise	46	29		cdy
Boston	45	33		cdy
Brownsville	83	71		cdy
Buffalo	36	27		cdy
Charleston	65	33		rn
Charlotte	68	47		cdy
Chicago	36	23	.04	sn
Cincinnati	65	44		rn
Cleveland	42	32		sn
Denver	32	22	.10	cdy
Des Moines	29	22	.02	sn
Detroit	44	34		sn
Duluth	32	24		clr
Fairbanks	28	16		sn
Fort Worth	79	45		cdy
Green Bay	29	24		cdy
Helena	26	19		clr
Honolulu	82	71		clr
Houston	72	63		cdy
Ind'apolis	63	40		rn
Jacks'ville	73	62		cdy
Juneau	39	30	.12	clr
Kansas City	45	26	.44	sn
Las Vegas	55	33	.01	clr
Little Rock	69	50		cdy
Los Angeles	62	41		clr
Louisville	69	41		rn
Marquette	30	8		sn
Memphia	71	52		rn
Miami	86	72		clr
Milwaukee	33	27	.37	sn
Mpls-St. P.	23	18		cdy
New Orleans	70	66		cdy
New York	64	37		cdy
Okla. City	72	26		cdy
Omaha	28	20	.22	sn
Orlando	91	63		cdy
Philad'phia	67	39		clr
Phoenix	66	42		clr
Pittsburgh	61	33		cdy
P'tland, Ore.	51	45	.01	rn
P'land, Me.	39	18		clr
Rapid City	18	3	.06	cdy
Richmond	70	36		clr
St. Louis	58	34		rn
Salt Lake	40	27		clr
San Diego	63	52		clr
San Fran	58	46		cdy
Seattle	50	42	.07	rn
Spokane	42	31		sn
Tampa	86	69		cdy
Washington	70	42		clr

Hi—Previous day's high.
Lo—This morning's low.
Prc—Precipitation for 24 hours ending 8 a.m. today Eastern time.
Otlk—Sky conditions outlook for today.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Chester	27	27.8	-.1
Cape Girardeau	32	35.3	+.3
New Madrid	34	43.3	+.4
Caruthersville	32	42.0	+.5

FORECAST
At Chester the river will fall .7 Thursday; fall 1.1 Friday; and fall 1.5 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will remain steady Thursday; fall .6 Friday; and fall 1.0 Saturday and cresting today.

At New Madrid the river will rise .5 Thursday; remain steady Friday; and Saturday andcrest at 43.8 Thursday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .3 Thursday; rise .3 Friday; and remain steady Saturday and will crest at 42.6 Friday.

OHIO RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Golconda	40	50.6	+.3
Paducah	39	51.2	+.3
Grand Chain	42	57.4	+.3
Cairo	40	56.1	+.4

FORECAST
At Golconda the river will rise .3 Thursday; rise .3 Friday; and rise .3 Saturday, and crest at 51.5 Saturday.

At Paducah the river will rise .1 Thursday; fall .1 Friday; and remain steady Saturday and is cresting today.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At CAiro the river will rise .1 Thursday; fall .1 Friday; and remain steady Saturday and crest at 56.2 Thursday. The river at Cairo rose .3 ft per hour Monday; .2 ft. per nour Tuesday; and .1 ft. per hour today.

FIRE

PORTAGEVILLE — A fire at 1:20 a.m. today destroyed the rural home of Mrs. J. W. McDonald and five children near Floodway ditch west of town.

The firedepartmnent responded to the call but was unable to save any of the household furnishings or clothing. Cause of the fire was not recorded.

World news

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government economic experts say there now is firm evidence that the nation's deep recession is nearing an end, but they are not yet sure how strong the economic recovery will be. "The economy is showing signs of bottoming out in the last few weeks even without a tax cut," said one economist. He said an economic recovery in the second half of the year "is assured, and it likely will be quite vigorous."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many key U.S. military officers believe South Vietnam may go down the drain in 60 to 120 days if the North Vietnamese army sustains its momentum. They think the North Vietnamese could concentrate their striking forces in that length of time in sufficient strength to strike the final blow in the Saigon region.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States continues to use up oil and natural gas faster than new petroleum reserves can be found. The American Petroleum Institute says a million barrels more oil was pumped last year than was added to known reserves. Meanwhile, the American Gas Association said that proved reserves of natural gas dropped 5 per cent in 19u4.

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — President Ford joined the wife of comedian Bobe Hope in autographing copies of a recipe book.

After playing 18 holes of golf at the Thunderbird Country Club Tuesday, Ford stopped unannounced at a Palm Desert gift shop and signed more than a dozen copies of "Five Star Favorites."

The book contains recipes from friends of President Dwight D. Eisenhower and his widow, Mamie. The collection was compiled by a committee headed by Dolores Hope.

Profits from the sales, at $12.95 a book, benefit the Eisenhower Medical Center at Palm Desert.

LONDON (AP) — The woman Winston Churchill called "My Darling Clementine" is 90.

Baroness Spencer-Churchill, widow of the late Sir Winston Churchill, marked the birthday Tuesday at a luncheon at Claridges hotel with the closest members of her family.

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Mamie Eisenhower continues to progress in her recovery from an intestinal ailment, according to doctors at a Ft. Gordon hospital.

Maj. George Foster of the U.S. Army Medical Center said Tuesday that the 79-year-old widow of President Dwight D. Eisenhower "is doing very well."

She was hospitalized last week with internal bleeding while vacationing at her winter home at the Augusta National Golf Club.

CHICAGO (AP) — Mayor Richard J. Daley asked the most powerful urban political machine in the nation for his biggest ballot box victory ever, and he got it. Democrat Daley piled up 77 per cent of the vote over two opponents Tuesday to win an unprecedented sixth four-year term. His previous high mark was 74 per cent. Daley's victory was expected, and it solidified his comeback as a major factor in the Democratic party nationally after his ouster from the 1972 national convention in a credentials fight.

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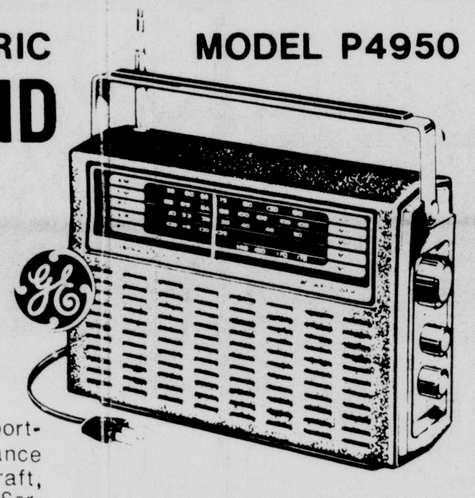
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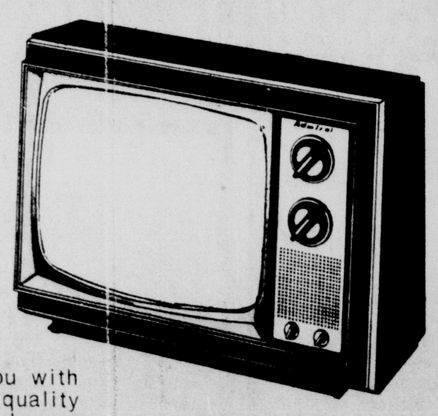
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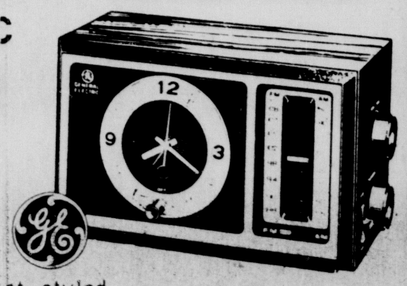
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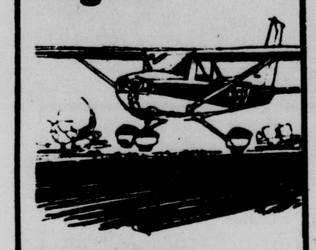

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2. Card of Thanks

I want very, very much to thank each and everyone who were so nice to me while I was in the Sikeston Hospital, those who sent flowers, gifts, cards, those who visited me or telephoned. May God bless you all. My deepest appreciation to the hospital staff, Reverend Hays and Dr. Page.

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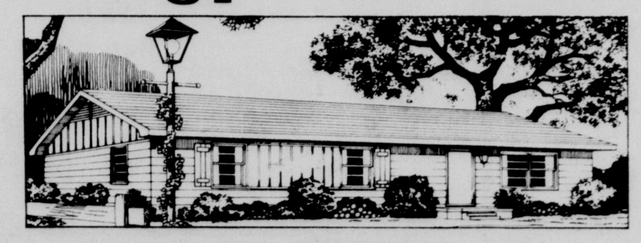

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17. Wanted Misc.

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26. Pets

Registered toy Pekingese, Peke-a-poo and poodle puppies. Ralph Henson, Illmo, Mo. 264-4678.

For sale - Black male poodle puppy, $25. 471-9573 after 6 p.m.
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27. Feed & Seed

Alfalfa hay for sale. Call 471-1233.
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28. New & Used Cars

69 V.W. van camper for sale. Call 471-9695 after 6 p.m.
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67 Mustang 6 cyl 1974 El Camino power and air. 1973 GMC pickup with power and air. 683-3583.
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Deaths

Sherman Rettig

Sherman Rettig, 62, of 1014 Garwood St., died at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday while at Hale Auction Co., Route two.

He was born Oct. 24, 1912 in Blodgett.

He was a route salesman for Dale Vending Co.

Survivors include his widow, Nell Cook Rettig; his father, Otto Rettig of Sikeston; three daughters, Mrs. Jolene Lawson of Sikeston, Mrs. Carol Carl of Kansas City, Kans., Mrs. Brenda Tanshot of Benton; two brothers, Laverne Rettig of Morehouse and Harold Rettig of Sikeston; six sisters, Mrs. Sadie James of White Hall, Ill.; Mrs. Lola Adcock of O'Fallon, Ill., Mrs. Cleo Davis of Keokuk, Ia., Mrs. Willine Miller of Sikeston, Mrs. Dorothy Broderick of Caruthersville; and four grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel until noon Thursday when the body will be removed to Fellowship Baptist Church for services at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Jimmie Edmondson and the Rev. Ralph Buckleyofficiating. Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Maudie Seufert

Maudie Seufert, 65, of 14 Dover St., died at 7:05 a.m. today in Charleston Host House.

She was born June 9, 1909 in Portageville.

She is survived by one foster son, Leroy Baker, of Chillicothe; two brothers, Leonard Allen of Sikeston and Orville Allen of Pheonix, Ariz.; and one sister, Mrs. Dellie Davis of Sikeston.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel. Graveside rites will be at 11 a.m. Thursday in Garden of Memories Cemetery with the Rev. Ed. Stephenson officiating.

William P. Bacon

DES ARC--William "Bill" P. Bacon, 79, a former New Madrid resident, died Monday night.

He was born Dec. 25, 1895 in Missouri.

Survivors include his widow, Lillion Willford Bacon of DesArc; three daughters, Martha Hampton of Sikeston, and Shirley Dennis and Nancy Mabrey of St. Louis; one sister, Lora Cooper of Crowder; and 13 grandchildren.

Services were conducted today at 2:30 p.m. at Richards Funeral Home in New Madrid. The Rev. D. Smith officiated and burial followed in Mounds Park Cemetery near Lilbourn.

Dorothy Patrick

EAST PRAIRIE--Mrs. Dorothy Ailene Patrick, 44, of 312 Second St., died at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday at her home, following an extended illness.

She was born Aug, 13, 1930 in St. Louis, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Finus Ashley Simmons, and had lived in Mississippi County 33 years. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

On Aug, 24, 1945 she mrried William Henry Patrick, who survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Lucille Warren and Mrs. Earlene Daughhetee of East Prairie and Miss Connie Patrick of the home; six sons, Kenneth, Sid, Thomas and Sam Patrick of East Prairie, Lance and Gary Patrick of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Onieta Brown of East Prairie and Mrs. Virginia Stucker of Kansas City; two brothers, R.B. Harrison of Hickman, Ky. and Thomas Simmons of East Prairie; and 11 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son and a grandson.

Friends may call after 4:30 p.m. today at the Shelby Funeral Home where services are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Bill Porter, pastor of the First Church of God, officiating.

Burial will follow in Dogwood Cemetery, near East Prairie.

Ada Oliver

EAST PRAIRIE--Mrs. Ada Oliver, 91, died at 3:10 p.m., Tuesday in the Sikeston Convalescent Center, following an extended illness.

She was born Nov. 1, 1883 in East Pairie, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James M. Ford, and had lived in Mississippi County all her life. She was a member of the First Church of God of East Prairie.

On March 31, 1903 she married Benjamin Oliver, who preceded her in death in 1928.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Opal LaPlant of East Prairie; two sons, Harry B. Oliver of Sun City, Ariz. and Carl B. Oliver of Detriot, Mich.; and 10 grandhcildren , 21 great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

Friends may call after 3 p.m. Thursday at the Shelby Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Church of God with the Revs. Bill Porter, pastor, and Paul Presso officiating.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.

Former area man dies from accident injuries

YAZOO CITY, Miss. — B. L. "Buddy" Morrison Jr., 38, of Route Four Carter Road, formerly of Lilbourn, Mo., died today at 6 a.m. in Baptist Hospital in Jackson from internal injuries received in an automobile accident on March 27.

Born April 29, 1936 at Armorel, Ark., he was a son of Ollie Ryan Morrison of Lilbourn and the late B. L. Morrison. He was reared in Lilbourn and graduated from Lilbourn High School. He was a 1958 graduate of the University of Missouri-Columbia and had farmed in Yazoo County since 1967.

He was a member of the Wahabi Temple Shrine and Masonic Lodge in Greenville. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and on the nominating committee of the Federal Land Bank in Jackson.

In 1960 he married Dorothy Frances James, who survives.

In addition to his mother and widow, other survivors include one son, James Wayne Morrison; two daughters, Diane Ryan Morrison and Patricia Robinson Morrison of the home; and one sister, Mrs. Mona Bloomfield of New Madrid.

Services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Friday at the Stricklin-King Funeral Home in Yazoo City. Burial will follow that afternoon at 5 p.m. in Mounds Park Cemetery near Lilbourn.

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received 27 votes for re-election to a two-year term as alderman.

CHARLESTON

Voters Tuesday elected Terry Rowe to a three year term on the City Council by a margin of 306 votes. Rowe tallied 603 votes to 297 votes for Georgfe L. Hathhorn.

Rowe will fill the position vacated by Sam E. Story, who did not seek re-election.

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Bell City School District voters elected Larry Strobel and Ferel H. Austin Jr. with no oppositon.

Bloomfield voters elected Glen Ayers as the new mayor. Ayers received 173 votes, Bill Bishop, 40 votes, and Wayne Freeman 43 votes. Incumbent ward one alderman Bill Cowger and ward two incumbent Jim Hall were elected with no opposition. Also unopposed were city collector Alma Burdine and Police Judge Howard Stevens.

Gorty Aslin and Donna Gard were elected to the Bloomfield Board of Education. Aslin drew 264 votes, Donna Gard, 168, John Branum 148 and Bob Holland 167.

In the Bernie city election all candidates were elected with no oppoition. Elected were, Ray Coats, alderman ward one; Ronald Walker, alderman ward two; and Wendall Moore, alderman from ward three.

Elected to fill two seats on the Bernie School Board were incumbent Bill Stone with 255 votes and Charlie Jennings with 275 votes. Opponent's Wayne Waltrip received 40 votes and Guy Foster 126.

In Dexter all three incumbent were re-elected to the board of aldermen. In ward three, James T. Williams was re-elected , pulling 136 votes. His opponents James Terry Cobb pulled 9 votes and Ton Nunn 98 votes. In ward one, Eldon Cooper easily defeated his opponent David E. Davis by a vote of 142 to 43. Ward two incumbent Jack Smarr was re-elected with no opposition.

Dexter school board incumbents, Loren Coffey and F.H. Kandalaft, were elected with no opposition.

In the Essex city election, Roger Jordan was unopposed for the office of mayor as was Danny Hillis for alderman from ward one and John Tucker from ward two.

Penermon voters elected Theoplis Clark to fill one seat on the board of aderman. Clark received 28 votes defeating his opponent Timmie Hampton by only one vote. Hampton received 27 votes. Other candidates Walter Barber received 19 votes and Marvin Brown 9 votes. Zeke Brown was elected mayor with no opposition. Morris Griffin was elected and collector and Lee Hester was elected city clerk withno opposition.

Incumbent Richland School Board members Elzie Wethington received 186 votes and Lee Bloomfield 161 votes to be re-elected to the Richland Board of Education. Robert McGhee received 133 votes and Norman Triplett 55 votes.

Puxico incumbent Mayor J. Roy Smithwas re-elected with no oppositoon. John Roach was elected to fill the vacancy of alderman from ward two. Roach received 56 votes and his opponent Jewell Kitchens received 45 votes.

Charles Placher received 352 votes and Marvin Johnston received 384 votes to be elected to the Puxico Board of Education. Opponents Fred Dirickson and W.R. Smith pulled 95 and 144 votes respectively.

Puxico voters also approved an increase in the school tax levy by a vote of 344 for and 139 against. The levy will now be $3.70, compared to $3.55 in the past.

No candidates filed for the Dudley city elections. Positions now open include a mayor and two alderman, one from each ward. The mayor's office was vacated when former mayor T.L. Jerrells moved out of the city.

John Roach of District four and Roger Jordon of District one were elected to the Stoddard County Ambulance District Board of Trustee's with no oppositon.

Elected to the Stoddard County School Board with no opposition were Alvin Corbin from the first district and Bobby Coffey from the second district.

Children view page

Children from the North Pemiscot Head Start Center at Wardell toured The Daily Standard Newspaper plant March 19. Here the cildren learn how a page is made up. Front row, from left, are Chris Gamling, Clarence Lane, Tammy White, Tyrone Lane and Rosie Moore. Second row, Steven McMahon, Joseph Keaton, Sandra Jefferson, Tonya Cheetum, Destria Williams, Peggy Moore and Anthony McAdams. Third row, Marsha Gipson, Juanita Gibson, social worker, and Jacquelyn Ruff. Back row, Charlene Moore, a volunteer; Lodora Hursey, teacher; and Wilma White, volunteer.

(Daily Standard photo)

World population is increasing by 80 million people a year, the highest growth rate in history, according to research-engineering firm Arthur D. Little Inc.

Taxpayers to get rebates next month

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service says taxpayers will begin to receive their tax rebate checks in May with all 78 million checks in the mail by the end of June.

The rebates are being provided under the tax cut bill passed by Congress and signed signed by President Ford last month.

Following are questions and answers, as prepared by the Internal Revenue Service, about the tax rebates:

Q. What is a rebate?

A. A rebate is the return of a portion of your 1974 tax authorized by the tax reduction act of 1975.

Q. What is the base for the IRS computation of rebates?

A. Generally, the law provides 10 per cent of 1974 tax as a base for computing rebates but establishes $200 as the maximum rebate.

Q. I had no federal tax liability in 1974. Am I eligible for a rebate?

A. No, the rebate is based on liability for tax for 1974.

Q. What is the minimum rebate?

A. The law established $100 as the minimum rebate unless the taxpayer's 1974 tax was less than $100, in which event the entire amount of tax would be returned in the form of a rebate.

Q. Will I receive any type of explanation with my rebate check?

A. Yes, each check will include an explanatory stuffer.

Q. If my wife and I file separately, will we get a bigger rebate?

A. No, the maximum rebate for a married individual filing separately is $100.

Q. I owe money on my 1974 tax. Do I have to pay it before I get my rebate?

A. Yes, you should pay any amount of tax due. Otherwise, if you owe any money on your current year's or any prior year's tax returns, your rebate will be credited to your account. If your rebate is greater than the amount you owe, the difference will be sent to you.

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ward three alderman, regained his seat by defeating challenger Bobby Daniels. Voters cast 304 votes for Hunter and 113 for Daniels.

Richard "Dick" St. Mary Jr., who was unopposed in his first bid for elective office, was named ward two alderman by 287 voters.

CANALOU

Floyd Smith polled 23 votes to be elected ward one alderman over William Bishop, who tallied 5 votes, and Larry Drake who received 8 votes.

Fred Laster defeated C. C. Blankenship for the ward two alderman seat by a vote of 37 to 22.

RISCO

William E. Gordon, who received 24 votes, captured the east ward alderman seat by defeating Tommy Parson, who tallied 11 votes.

Oscar Miller, incumbent west ward alderman, was returned to office by 24 votes over Lindel Stephens, who polled 16 votes.

Alfred Scott, incumbent marshal, was ithout opposition and received 68 votes.

LILBOURN

Lilbourn voters overwhelmingly favored an annexation proposal to add approximately 40 acres to the city by casting 307 ballots for the annixation to 3 against.

Dick Twitty, unopposed incumbent east ward alderman, was returned to office with 141 votes and John Baker received 79 votes in his uncontested bid for the westward alderman seat.

MARSTON

Claude White received 92 votes to win a one-year unexpired term as marshal over Gene Pikey, who had been filing the office by appointment. Pikey polled 67 votes in the race.

Robert Cook tallied 55 votes to gain the south ward alderman post vacated by White; and Robert Clay tallied 67 votes to be re-elected north ward alderman without opposition.

GIDEON

In the only contested race Virgle Weaks unseated incumbent south ward alderman William E. "Jack" Lamar by 83 votes to 70.

Billie Lamar received 24 votes to be re-elected north ward alderman without opposition.

HOWARDVILLE

James Junior Young, incumbent ward one alderman, was defeated for re-election by J. B. Rowe, who received 63 votes to 31 cast for Young.

Leroy Bashley gained a two-year term as ward two alderman without opposition. Bashley who had been filling the post by appointment received 80 votes.

CATRON

Murphy Young, a new candidate for a seat on the five-member board of trustees, tallied 23 votes to lead the balloting. Other members named and votes polled include D. F. Allen, 21; James Swiney, 20, Charles Johnson, 19 and Lloyd Matlock, 18. One of the board members will be chosen mayor by the trustees.

Death penalty bill to pass in House

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A Senate bill requiring the death penalty for any premeditated murder will pass in the House, which already has approved a measure mandating death for 13 crimes, the sponsor of the House bill said Tuesday.

Rep. Bob Griffin, D-Cameron, also told the Senate Criminal and Jurisprudence Committee he prefers the Senate measure.

The committee, after hearing prison guards and sheriffs promote the death penalty, voted to recommend to the Senate floor a substitute for the House bill which drops the 13 categories and makes all premeditated murder punishable by death as outlined in the previously approved Senate bill.

"I've been in favor of it from the beginning," he said.

He said he first felt the Senate bill might be unconstitutional but now feels differently after researching the matter further.

The U.S. Supreme Court stuck down death penalty laws across the country in 1972, saying they were discriminatory because discretion was left in the sentencing as to whether the utlimate penalty should be invoked.

The substitute bill contains a new provision saying if the proposed death penalty law is found to be unconstitutional, persons who commit premeditated murder shall be sentenced to life imprisonment with no parole for the first 50 years behind bars.

Two guards at the Missouri State Penitiary here told the committee they support the death penalty, but did not take a stand on which capital punishment bill they prefer.

Both bills would require death for prisoners who kill behind the walls. A guard was killed earlier this year at the prison here.

"We're scared out there, gentlemen," said Maj. Danton Steele. "We need the protection."

Representatives of the Catholic Church and the American Civil Liberties Union opposed the death penalty, but Sen. Larry Marshall, R-Columbia, a consistent capital punishment foe, was the only committee member to vote against the substitute bill.

Marshall said statistics show capital punishment is not a deterrent to crime and that more emphasis should be placed on rehabilitation.

After the French occupied Moscow Sept. 12, 1812, fires started by the Russians destroyed 30,000 homes.

Rebates Up to $30

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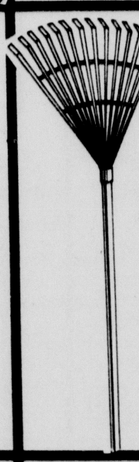

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UCLA tops final AP poll

LOS ANGELES (AP) — John Wooden didn't have to be told UCLA was the champion again. He already knew his Bruins had come out on top two ways.

UCLA was named No. 1 in The Associated Press' final poll of the 1974-75 season Tuesday, almost an anticlimax after it had captured the national championship Monday night with a 92-85 triumph over Kentucky in the National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament in San Diego.

The bespectacled 64-year-old former coach of the Bruins has repeatedly said that's the important championship. "Still, I am pleased that we are officially No. 1," said Wooden, echoing what he'd said two years ago when UCLA topped the tourney and the poll after that season ended.

"I don't think the polls mean as much in basketball as they do in football. In football, there is no way to determine a national champion on the field, but in basketball there is," Wooden said then. He acknowledged, however, that if a poll meant anything, it should be taken after the regular season.

The Bruins, however, were not unanimous choices.

Of 49 sports writers and broadcasters who cast ballots, 45 of them name the Bruins No. 1. One ballot contained half a vote each for UCLA and Indiana, which compiled the best record among major colleges. Two other ballots were cast for Indiana as No. 1 and another balloter, Hubert Mizell, sports editor of The St. Petersburg Times, voted Syracuse first in protest.

Mizell listed as his choices, in order, Syracuse, Louisville, Kentucky and UCLA, the reverse order of finish of the NCAA tournament. He said he did it "in protest over The AP's holding a ballot after the legitimate championship tournament."

The Bruins, 28-3, wound up with 969 points on the poll compared to No. 2 Kentucky, 26-5, with no first-place votes but 830 points. Indiana, 31-1, dropped to third with 787 points, followed by Louisville, 28-3, with 762. Maryland was a distant fifth with 525.

Rounding out the top 10 were Syracuse, which lost in overtime to Louisville for third place in the NCAA tournament; North Carolina State, picked No. 1 in The AP's preseason poll; Arizona State, North Carolina, and Alabama.

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press' final 1974-75 major college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-7 etc.:

1.	UCLA (45½)	28-3	969
2.	Kentucky	26-5	830
3.	Indiana (2½)	31-1	787
4.	Louisville	28-3	762
5.	Maryland	24-5	525
6.	Syracuse (1)	23-9	443
7.	N. Car. St.	27-6	403
8.	Arizona St.	25-4	377
9.	N. Carolina	23-8	295
10.	Alabama	22-5	246
11.	Marquette	23-4	210
12.	Princeton	22-8	127
13.	Cincinnati	23-6	124
14.	Notre Dame	19-10	110
15.	Kansas St.	20-9	69
16.	Drake	20-10	67
17.	Nev-L.Vegas	24-5	41
18.	Oregon St.	18-12	40
19.	Michigan	19-8	36
20.	Providence	17-10	27

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Arizona, Auburn, Boston College, Centenary, Central Michigan, Clemson, Creighton, Furman, Holy Cross, Kansas, La Salle, Montana, New Mexico State, Oregon, Pan American, Penn, Rutgers, St. Bonaventure, Southern California, Stetson, Tennessee, Texas A&M, Texas-El Paso, Washington.

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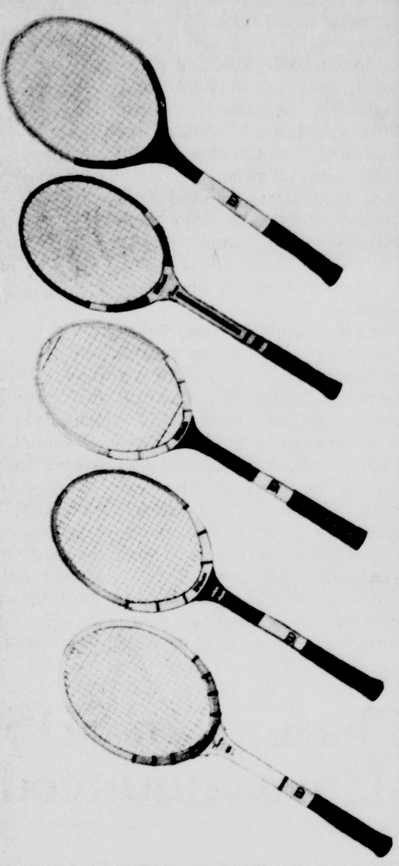

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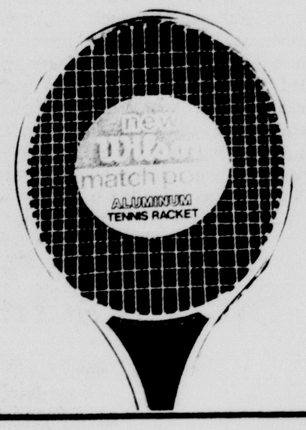

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SeMo State signs 2 area cage stars

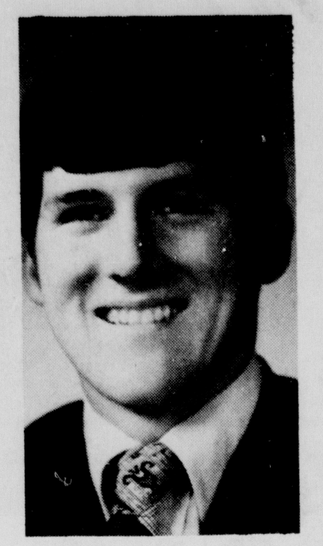
CAPE GIRARDEAU–Two all-star players from Southeast Missouri State University's "bakyard" have become the first recruits of the Indians' new head basketball coach Carroll Williams.

They are Mark Beussink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beussink of Jackson and Russ Mothershead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Mothershead of Benton.

Beussink, a 6-2 guard, played his high school basketball under Coach Ed Arnzen of Notre Dame High School in Cape Girardeau. Mothershead, a 6-5 forward, was coached by Nick Lanpher of Kelly High School in Benton.

Coach Williams praised both players, indicating they will probably wsee some varsity action as freshmen, and said both definitely "figure in our plans quite a bit."

Mark Beussink



Russ Mothershead

Beussink, said Williams, "is the type young man that we want to build our program around. He is a fine player, dedicated to athletics, good student and a winner."

The Southeast Missouri State coach termed Mothershead "an asset to the program." He continued, "He is a good student, personable young man, and will be a definite contributor as soon as he learns the system."

The 17-year-old Beussink, a three-year lettermen at Notre Dame, hit 56 per cent of his field goal attemps and 57 per cent of his free throw attemps during his senior year. His team compiled a 21-4 record.

Beussink also plays baseall at Notre Dame. He is a pitcher.

Mothershead, also 17 years old, averaged 19.4 points and 15 rebounds a game for Kelly during the past season. He is a good jumper and has a nice touch and shooting range, according to Willias.

The Benton resident, who plans to study agriculture and physical education at Southeast Missouri State, hit 82 per cent from the free throw line and 52 per cent from the field as a senior. His Kelly team compiled a 20-5 record.

Both Beussink and Mothershead were named t several all-star teams and made honorable mention all-state for Class AA.

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By The Associated Press

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Eastern Conference	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlantic Division				
x-Boston	57	22	.722	—
Buffalo	48	31	.608	9
New York	39	40	.494	18
Philaphia	34	46	.425	23½
Central Division				
x-Washington	57	21	.731	—
Houston	41	40	.506	17½
Cleveland	39	41	.488	19
Atlanta	31	50	.383	27½
N. Orleans	23	57	.288	35
Western Conference				
Midwest Division				
Chicago	45	34	.570	—
K.C.-Omaha	43	36	.544	2
Detroit	39	41	.488	6½
Milwaukee	36	43	.456	9
Pacific Division				
x-Golden St.	47	33	.588	—
Seattle	39	39	.500	7
Portland	36	44	.450	11
Phoenix	31	48	.392	15½
L.Angeles	30	49	.380	16½

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Tuesday's Results

Chicago 98, Buffalo 93

Washington 110, New Orleans 101

Houston 113, Atlanta 104

Milwaukee 98, Detroit 91

New York 99, Philadelphia 95

Portland 124, Los Angeles 106

Wednesday's Games

Buffalo at Boston

Houston at Washington

Chicago at Detroit

Los Angeles at Phoenix

Kansas City-Omaha at Seattle

Thursday's Game

New York at Cleveland

ABA

East Division	W	L	Pct.	GB
Kentucky	56	26	.683	—
New York	56	26	.683	—
St. Louis	31	51	.378	25
Memphis	27	55	.329	29
Virginia	15	67	.183	41
West Division				
x-Denver	64	19	.771	—
San Anton.	50	33	.602	13½
Indiana	45	37	.549	18½
Utah	36	46	.439	27½
San Diego	31	51	.378	32½

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Tuesday's Results

St. Louis 122, Utah 109

San Antonio 130, San Diego 113

Memphis 121, Virginia 102

Denver 126, Indiana 115

Wednesday's Games

Virginia at Kentucky

Memphis at New York

Utah at Indiana

St. Louis at San Diego

Thursday's Games

New York at Virginia

St. Louis at Utah

Kentucky at Memphis

Indiana at San Antonio

San Diego at Denver

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YONKERS, N.Y. (AP) — Austin Hope of Gainesville, Ga., is 220 pounds and 6 feet 6 but he gets the job done as a harness driver at Yonkers Raceway.

Says Hope: "I don't feel that my height and weight are handicaps to the horses. But it sure is uncomfortable for me. Sometimes when I drive my elbows touch my knees."

Kansas Relays draws top vaulters

LAWRENCE, Kan. (AP) — The Kansas Relays April 16-19 will feature four of the country's top pole vaulters.

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Changes in SHS slate announced

The Sikeston Bulldogs' game with Kelly, scheduled at 4 o'clock this afternoon at VFW stadium, was cancelled and will be rescheduled at a future date because Kelly High School is not in session this week.

Meanwhile, Sikeston Coach N.P. McDaniels has announced that the Bulldogs have added a game to their slate-a 4 p.m. encounter with the Oran Eagles Friday on the Sikeston home field.

Lefthander Ricky Taylor, a junior, is scheduled to pitch for Sikeston. Barring the unforseen, ace righthander Kenny Stokes will throw his stuff at the West Plains Zizzers Saturday afternoon in a 1 o'clock game.

Sikeston won its first game last week when Stokes threw an overpowering two-hitter in a 5-0 win over the Lilbourn Panthers.

Sports schedule

Wednesday's Schedule

Baseball

Winona State at Southeast Missouri State University

Fulton County, Ky., at East Prairie

Naylor at Neelyville

Track

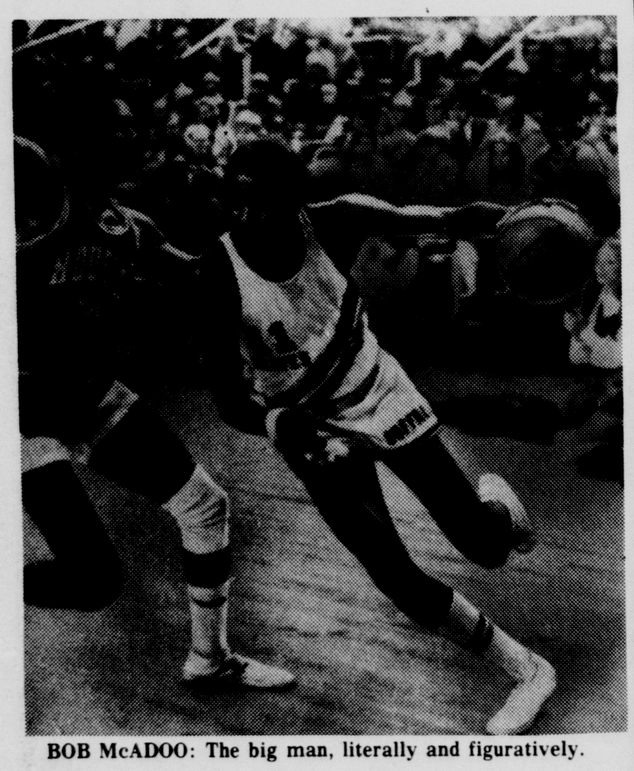
East Prairie at Malden

Tennis

Kennett at Sikeston

Golf

Dexter at Sikeston



BOB McADOO: The big man, literally and figuratively.

McAdoo captures NBA's MVP prize

NEW YORK (AP) — Bob McAdoo of the Buffalo Braves, the National Basketball Association's leading scorer, was named the league's Most Valuable Player for 1974-75, the NBA announced today.

The 6-foot-10 center, runnerup to Milwaukee Bucks center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar in last year's voting, polled 81 first-place votes and 547 points in running away with the Podoloff Trophy balloting by NBA players.

Boston Celtics center Dave Cowens was second this time with 310 points, Elvin Hayes of the Washington Bullets was third at 289, Golden State's Rick Barry was fourth with 254 points and Abdul-Jabbar rounded out the top five with 161.

"I'm really happy. I can't believe it. It seems like a dream," said McAdoo, an overwhelming choice for Rookie of the Year honors as a forward in 1972-73.

In his rookie year, he averaged 18 points and 9.1 rebounds per game. That was just a warmup for a sophomore season in which he led the league in scoring with 30.8 points per game, had the top shooting percentage with 54.7 and was third in rebounding with 15.1.

The 23-year-old McAdoo passed up his senior year at North Carolina, becoming eligible to turn professional under the NBA's hardship rule. He was the second selection in the player draft, behind LaRue Martin of the Portland Trail Blazers.

Entering Tuesday night's game against the Chicago Bulls, McAdoo topped league scorers with 34.6 points per game, was third in rebounding with 14.2 and led the league in minutes played with 3,370.

"What makes winning the MVP so hard to believe is that I was a high school and college kid just a few years ago," McAdoo said. "Now, all the players I heard about and read about think I'm the best. And that's an honor, man!"

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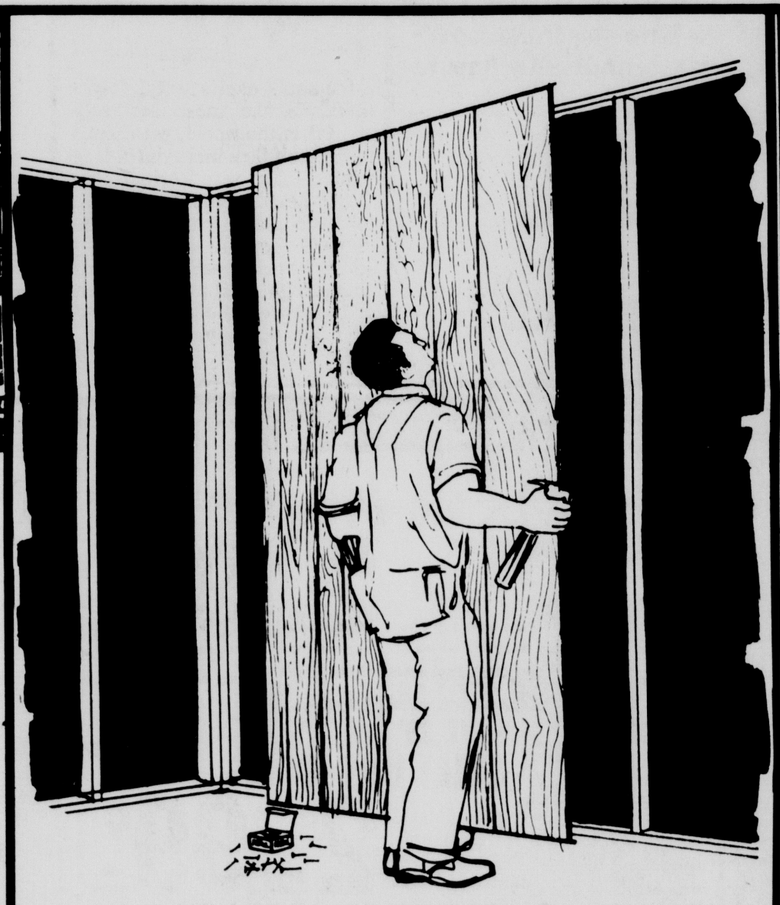

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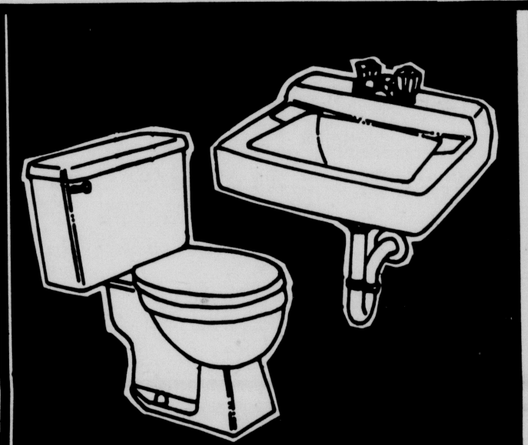

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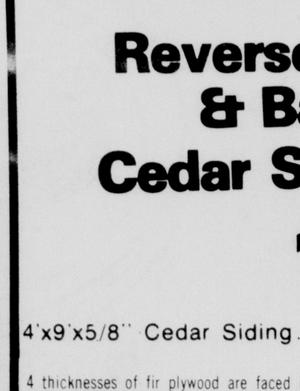

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A's ready; Cruz tough on Birds

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

The Oakland A's are ready, even the one who is no longer in Oakland.

Catfish Hunter, the baseball pitcher A's owner Charles O. Finley let get away, sparkled again for the New York Yankees even though the Yanks suffered a 4-1 defeat to the Atlanta Braves.

And the A's acted Tuesday as if they didn't even need Hunter, who led them to three consecutive World Series championships.

Mike Norris, Rollie Fingers and Blue Moon Odom combined to pitch a one-hitter against Milwaukee while Reggie Jackson slammed four hits to pace the A's 9-1 exhibition baseball rout of the Brewers. Milwaukee's only hit was an infield single in the second inning.

Hunter has pitched 33 innings this spring, posting an earned run average of 1.64. The only run Atlanta scored against him Tuesday was unearned.

Hunter gave up four hits and struck out five in his seven-inning stint against the Braves.

Atlanta won the game in the eighth inning when Dusty Baker slammed a three-run double with two outs.

In other games, Cincinnati beat the New York Mets 8-2, Houston edged St. Louis 3-2, Montreal stopped Minnesota 95, Baltimore nipped Texas 4-3, Los Angeles out-slugged San Francisco 11-7, San Diego defeated the Chicago Cubs 4-2, Boston crushed Detroit 9-0, and the Chicago White Sox and Pittsburgh split a doubleheader, Chicago winning the first game 4-1 and the Pirates taking the nightcap 6-3.

The University of Arizona shocked the Cleveland Indians when sophomore Pete Van Horne lined a bases-loaded double in the ninth to give the Wildcats a 6-5 victory.

Willie McCovey smashed a two-run homer, and Ron Davis did the rest as San Diego defeated the Chicago Cubs, who marked their ninth loss in their last 10 games.

Houston edged the Cardinals as Jose Cruz hit a two-run homer in the seventh to knot the score, then tallied the winning run in the ninth on Ken Boswell's single.

Home runs by Ed Armbrister and Tony Perez powered Cincinnati's 19-hit assault to crush the Mets.

A home run and a double by rookie Gary Carter drove in three runs to lead the Montreal Expos over Minnesota.

A hit batter, a single to center and a bad-hop single by Bobby Grich gave Baltimore an 11-inning victory over Texas. Texas tied the game in the ninth when Joe Lovitto singled home Tom Grieve.

Two triples by Dave Lopes, one coming in a three-run third, lifted Los Angeles past San Francisco.

The Chicago White Sox snapped a six-game losing streak behind Wilbur Wood's five-hit pitching in the first game of an exhibition doubleheader. But Pittsburgh won the nightcap as pitcher Wayne Simpson doubled home three runs and Rennie Stennett stroked a triple in the six-run second inning.

Exploding for 13 hits, the Boston Red Sox blanked Detroit. Bernie Carbo and Rick Miller blasted three-run homers and three Boston pitchers, Bill Lee, Diego Segui and Dick Pole, fashioned a six-hit shutout, snapping Detroit's four-game winning streak.

Exhibition baseball

By The Associated Press

Tuesday's Results

Cincinnati 8, New York (N) 2
Pittsburgh 1-6, Chicago (A) 4-3
Montreal 9, Minnesota 5
Baltimore 4, Texas 3
Atlanta 4, New York 1
Houston 3, St. Louis 2
Los Angeles 11, San Francisco 7
San Diego 4, Chicago (N) 2
Arizona State U. 3/4, Cleveland 5
Oakland 9, Milwaukee 1
Boston 9, Detroit 0

Wednesday's Games

Kansas City vs. Chicago (A) at Sarasota, Fla.
Texas vs. New York (A) at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
Baltimore vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla.
Philadelphia vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla.
Houston vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Cincinnati vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.
Oakland vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz.
San Diego vs. Milwaukee at Sun City, Ariz.
San Francisco vs. California at Fresno, Calif.
Chicago (N) vs. Los Angeles at Scottsdale, Ariz.
Pittsburgh vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., night

Thursday's Games

Houston vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Philadelphia vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.

A's, Buc', Dodgers favored

ST. LOUIS AP--The Oakland Athletics, Pittsburgh Pirates and Los Angeles Dodgers have been picked as repeat winners in their divisions and the New York Yankees have been chosen as the new American League East champions by the Baseball Writers Association of America.

In a poll conducted by the Sporting News, the baseball writers chose Oakland to breeze past the Texas Rangers in the American League West, the Yanks to edge the Baltimore Orioles in th A.L. East, Los Angeles to beat the Cincinnati Reds again in the National League West and Pittsburgh to squeeze past the St. Louis Cardinals in the N.L. East.

The BBWA predicted order of finish:

A.L. West--Oakland (1,418 points), Texas (1,240), Kansas Cit4zgj.a97), Chicago (662), Minnesota (575) and California (526).

A.L. East--New York (1,402), Baltimore (1,456), Boston (998), Cleveland (714), Milwaukee (593) and Detroit (355).

N.L. West--Los Angeles (1,450), Cincinnati (1,361), Houston (857), Atlanta (830), San Francisco (561)and San Diego (359).

N.L. East--Pittsburgh (1,280), St. Louis (1,262), Philadelphia (1,081), New York (843), Montreal (638) and Chicago (314).

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Mr. Charles Blanton, Jr.
Daily Sikeston Standard
Sikestonk, Missouri

Mr. Blanton:

I see you've done it again!!! I'm referring to the picture of the terrible tragedy plastered on the front page of your newspaper Monday, March 24. Mr. Blanton, do you not have any compassion for anyone in your heart? Have you ever witnessed the anguish and heartache of a family such as Doug Hall's family at a time such as this? Well I have and I did. This terrible plane crash occurred within seeing distance from my home and I went immediately to the home to try to help console the family. Mr. Blanton, if only you could have seen the pain and agony the father was suffering. He had to witness this son's death knowing there was absolutely nothing he could do. The mother was away and had to return home only to be told that her beloved son was dead and that he died such a horrible death. If you only know how much pain is inflicted on loved ones when they are a witness to the scene of an accident and the measures taken to prevent this from happening and then you print a large picture on the front page of your newspaper showing the removal of the last remains of a victim. Mr. Blanton, if you have to print pictures of this nature, for some people who enjoy such morbid things, couldn't you at least wait until the body has been removed. Just a picture of the object involved in a tragic death should be sufficient to satisfy these morbid curiosity seekers. I don't think you will loose any subscribers to your newspaper if you don't show all the vivid details.

For someone who is running for a public office that is supposed to have the interest of the people at heart, I feel you fall short in more ways than one when you show your ture nature as to your selection of pictures and articles for your paper. Mr. Blanton, I pray to God that you are never in a position where you have to witnes one of your loved ones die it you are. I'm certain it won't be on the front page of your newspaper such as Doug Hall's was or the terrible picture you printed of two plane crash victims a few months ago. I feel you owe the Jim Hall family, and all the other families from past occurances of this sort, a personal apology for the added heartache and anguish ca used them by your newspaper picutres of their tragedies. No one should ever give up hope on another person coming to their senses and Mr. Blanton, I pray that before you die you will find tucked away somewhere in your heart just a tiny bit of compassion that you can show to this world.

I haven't even begun with what I feel in my heart about such inconsiderations as this, but I hope I've gotten my point across to you on my feelings and I'm certain the majority of all decent people are in complete agreement with me.

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By PHIL PASTORET

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

OUR MOTTO

We, the willing
Led by the unknowing
Are doing the impossible
For the ungrateful

We have done so much
For so long
With so little
We are qualified
To do everything
With nothing

In every society there have been the oppressed and in this so called "modern" society of ours there are still the oppressed. And the hate and discontent are ever present, not only in the eyes of the black, chicano, or italian but in a group that most don't even think about. And that is the young people who "litter" our streets just searching for a way to go. And like the many minorities before them they are just shrugged off and discarded in the back of one's mind. This has been happening since the beginning of time and if we don't do something about it our society will surely so lose one of it's most precious gifts and that is youth.

Now you may say that the problem is minial but friend you don't know what it's like to have someone condemn you just because your hair may be just a little different or the clothes you wear are a little strange. Well, I do, and let me tell you, it breaks down one's mental capacity to be taunted and ridiculed constantly. To be called a "dope addict" by everyone and his brother is just too much for most young people to handle, so the cycle begins...

If the young man is lucky he may find a job, that is if you aren't offended by his hair, and his strange clothes don't bother you. But you know you would really be fooled, cause those young people out there are just lookin' for a way to go just like you, and you might be surprised to find that they think just like you and they fall like you but sometimes just a little harder. When they meet failure it seems so much worseSo, if you see your brother fall help him, he may be there someday to help you when you have no where to go. Think about it ... and for his sake and ours, please try to find it in your heart to help him.

Thank you
Don E. Sturgeon
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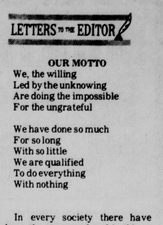
OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS



MICHAEL BARGER

SAN ANTONIO — Air National Guard Airman Michael R. Barger, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Barger of Sikeston, Mo., has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base.

Airman Barger will return to his Air National Guard unit at Little Rock AFB, Ark., where he will receive on-the-job training as an air operations specialist.

The airman is a 1969 graduate of East Ascension High School in Gonzlees, La. His wife Jane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thompson of Delaplaine, Ar., Route One.

Thoughts

From The Living Bible

His chosen one replies, "I will reveal the everlasting purposes of God, for the Lord has said to me, 'You are my Son. This is your Coronation Day. Today I am giving you your glory.'" "Only ask, and I will give you all the nations of the world. Rule them with an iron rod; smash them like clay pots!" O kings and rulers of the earth, listen while there is time. Serve the Lord with reverent fear; rejoice with trembling. Fall down before his Son and kiss his feet before his anger is roused and you perish.

Psalms 1:7-12

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Ground broken for complex

Attending groundbreaking ceremonies for OFMCO's new plant on Blodgett Road are from left: Dan Norton, Doyle Horne, Charles Mitchell, Jim Smith, president of the Sikeston Chamber of Commerce, Ron Payne, Ed Matthews, Don Lowe, president of OFMCO, Nell Lowe, Howard Gipson, Bob Mitchell, Larry Hornback, Vice-President of OFMCO, Jerry Burge, Gary Martin, Rob Mitchell, Jim Brittain, and Mayor Frank Ferrell.

Mitchell attends meeting

J. Fred Harless, left, executive vice president of National Homes Manufacturing Corp. Lafayette, Ind., Division, shakes hands with Charles M. Mitchell, Realtor, National Homes distributor for this area.Mitchell, whose office is located at 305 Tanner St., recently attended the National Homes Builder meeting in St. Louis to preview the company's new line of homes. National Homes Corp., which will produce its 500,000th home in 1975, is the largest home manufacturer in the world.Mitchell chose from an extensive line of ranches, two-stories,bi-levels and tri-levels in a variety of new styles, including rustic, traditional and English Tudor. The introduction of the new models , which were especially chosen for the area market, will be available for public inspection at different locations throughout Sikeston and New Madrid.

OFMCO warehouse to be constructed

Ground was broken March 24 for a 64,000 square foot warehouse complex at a site on the Blodgett road in Miner, one mile north of Highway 60, by the building owner, OFMCO Corporation of Sikeston.

Don Lowe, president of OFMCO Corporation, said the construction was necessary to keep pace with the continuing growth of the business and was consistent with its need for more warehouse and office space to accommodate that growth. The entire project is being done under a general contract by the Ryan Construction Company of Sikeston.

OFMCO began business operations in 1968 in the Mississippi and relocated in the city of Sikeston in 1970. The company is engaged in the business of buying and marketing new and used office furniture , fixtures and machines at wholesale and retail. Lowe explained that while the majority of the merchandise dealt in by the company awas acquired in major cities throughout the United States that a central location was essential for processing and handling the inventory; hence, the present location.

The new facility, in addition to 8,000 square feet of office space and showrooms, will contain the most modern loading, handling and warehousing systems available. The new plant will also include complete facilities for the repair, restoration and re-upholstery of office furniture.

Company spokesmen relate that they anticipate being in a position to offer choice industrial locations and facilities to other businesses at the site, which is located near the intersection of the major interstate highways, shortly. The development of such an industrial park, they feel, will be of advantage to the Miner'-Sikeston trade area.

Howard Tillman

Tillman to open CPA office in P'ville

PORTAGEVILLE--Howard Tillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tillman of Lilbourn, is opening a new certified accounting office in Portageville.

Tillman was raised in Lilbourn. He graduated from Lilbourn High School, attended the University of Missouri in Columbia for wtwo years, then transferred to Memphis State University in Memphis Tenn., where he graduated.

For twelve years, he was employed in Memphis by an investment and loan company, where he was manager for four of their offices. In 1972 he began working for Alexander Grant & Co., an international certified public accounting firm. located in the First National Bank of Memphis.

He has been an active member of Mullins Methodis Church, where he served on the board of directors and numerous committees for the renovation of the church and committees for the youth athletic program. His contributions to civic affairs, included the following: Member of the Optimist Club and treasurer of thisorganization, served on the budget committee of Shelby United Neighbors, member of the Tennessee Society of Certified Public Accountants, a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and has a certificate from the Missouri State Board of Accountancy.

Howard's office will be at 1217 King Avenue, Portageville.

Mrs. Tillman is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs Chas Pikey of Conran. The Tillmans have two children a daughter, Debbie and a son, Sam.

VESTED INTEREST—HASPEL BROTHERS' three-piece suit of pure, comfort-geared cotton corduroy from CONE MILLS plays fashion close to the vest. Oatmeal-toned jacket and trousers coordinate with button-on corduroy patchwork vest.

Harper returns from cruise

John Harper, owner of Harper's Travel Service Inc., returned recently from a four-day cruise and tour on the west coast. Harper was flown as a guest of Trans World Airlines to San Francisco, Calif., where the agents boarded Prudential-Grace Lines SS Santa Mariana and sailed for Los Angeles, Calif.

While on board the agents attended a seminar and toured the ship's facilities an.

The agents visited the Queen Mary, at Long Beach, toured Universal Studios, Bevrly Hills and many other points of interest before returning from the Los Angeles area.

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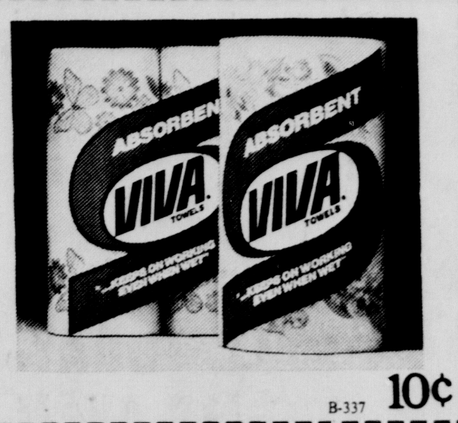

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Area schools invited to accept Penney's gift

Area high schools and colleges have been invited to accept JC Penney's 200th birthday gift to the nation. "The Bicentennial Musical Celebration," which was announced last December.

Order forms have been mailed to more than 30,000 high schools, colleges, and unversities in the first phase of what is expected to be a massive distribution process lasting through April and May. The "gift of music" includes 100 minutes of sheet music for bands, orchestras, and choral groups. One package of the musicarranged for all instruments and voices will weigh approximately 45 pounds.

G.R. Bowen, manager of the Penney store at Sikeston, said the "Celebration" music package will consist of 70 minutes of historic works dating from William Billings' "America" written in1770 and 30 minutes of newly commissioned works by five prominent American composers.

Any high school, junior college, or university music department which has not received an order form may request one from its slocal or nearby JC Penney store or from Michael Scotto, National Bicentennial Coordinator, JC Penney, 1301 of the Americas, New York, N.Y. 10019.

Telephone bills to give more information

Beginning this month Southwestern Bell telephone bills will give customers here more information.

Mike Smith, manager, said the new billing format will give added detail on long distance and payment status. It will list federal, state and local taxes separately.

Computers will print the time each long distance call was placed and how long it lasted, Smith said. The new bill will tell whether the call was customer dialed, station to station or person to person. It will show whether the call was interstate or intrastate and what rate period applies.

Smith said the bill will show adjustments from the previous month, whether there is an unpaid balance and, if so, how much. He said a "due by" date will be specified to let customers know when the company expects payment.

Coloring contest winners

Winners of the coloring book contest sponsored by the retail merchants of the Kingsway Plaza Mall were announced Saturday morning. Contest winners each received a silver dollar. Winners were, front row, from left, Erin Elizabeth Shaw, Greg Tatroe, Jill Chullino, Kenny Geers, Jason Shaw, Laurie Ann Nimmo, Cathy Critchlow, Beth Lewis, Shelly Huddleston and Jerry Keeler. Second row, Susan Dirnberger, Julia Williams, Laura Camp, Lorie McPhail, Deborah Hill, Jon Fair and Karen Schaffer. Third row, Marianne Geers, Paul Causey, Christina Mayfield, Michael Moore, Jimmy Eaton, Ann Cline, Sam Camp, Martha Springs and Laura Harden. Not present were Jennifer Hamlin, De'Nekia Rose and Denice Stone.

Stock ownership is announced

KANSAS CITY--On March 17, Metz Baking Co., a wholesale baker with headquarters in Sioux City, Iowa, announced ownership slightly in excess of 10 per cent of the outstanding common stock Interstate Brands Corp. a national wholesale baker headquartered in Kansas City.

A spokesman for Interstate Brands issued the following statement:

A Schedule 13D, dated Aug. 16, 1974, was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington, D.C., on behalf of Metz Baking Co. and by certain affiliated persons indicating the acquisition and intention to further acquire common stock of Interstate Brands Corp. for the stated purpose of "investment."

On March 18, Interstate Brands received a copy of the first amendment to Schedule 13D. The amendment, which was dated March 17, indicates a total ownership by Metz Baking Co., and certain affiliated persons (Henry Metz, Jr., chairman of finance ocommittee and a director of Metz Baking Co., and A.D. Barnum, treasurer of Metz Baking Co., of 232,700 shares of the common stock of Interstate Brands Corporation. This comprises slightly more than 10 per cent of the outstanding 2,323,071 shares of the common stock of Interstate Brands.

Jamey Ryan to appear at jamboree

Jamey Ryan

BERNIE--Country music singer Jamey Ryan will be featured at 8 p.m. Saturday night at the Bootheel Jamboree.

Miss Ryan has been climbing the ladder of success ever since her first record on Columbia, "Twenty-one Inches of Heaven." Her recent successes include a sell-out tour of England ending with a standing room concert in the Royal Albert Hall in London.

Miss Rayn's career began while she was a student at San Antonio State College and the University of Texas at Austin. Following the success of her first record and another, "Plaything," she joined the Del Reeves Country Carnival, syndicated. television show. This led to other television appearances on Hee Haw, the Wilburn Brothers Show and the Grand Ole Opry.

Her current single is "Keep On Loving Me."

Focus on Business

Surgeon attends conference

Dr. Jean R. Dupont, has attended a "Meeting of Young Surgeons", sponsored by the American College of Surgeons.

Dr. Dupont was selected as representative of the local chapter of the American College of Surgeons. The meeting was held March 13-14 at the American College of Surgeons headquarters in Chicago, Ill.

All United States and Canadian chapters of the college were invited to send representatives.

Following a brief general session March 14, the representatives were dispursed into workshops and discussion groups for the morning, then reconvened in the afternoon where reports for all workshops were presented.

This meeting presented an unusual opportunity for young surgeons to ask questions and discuss problems with officers of the American College of Surgeons and with the authorities selected to serve as consultants to the workshops.

Jean R. Dupont

Halstead named vice president

NEW MADRID - Bruce R. Allan, president of Noranda Aluminum, Inc., has announced that the Company's board of directors, at their recent meeting, appointed Clint W. Halstead vice president - Operations.

Noranda Aluminum began operation of its primary aluminum reduction plant in 1970, with a production capacity of 70,000 tons per year. Expansion to the facilities were begun in 1974, and will increase the company's capacity to 140,000 tons per year in 1976. The company also operates a Rod, Wire & Cable plant adjacent to the reduction plant.

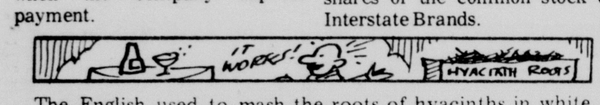
Halstead joined Noranda in 1970, and resides with his wife, Dot, in New Madrid.

Clint Halstead

A native of Pine Bluff, Ark., Halstead has accumulated 20 years in the Aluminum Industry, following his graduation from the University of Arkansas.

Since joining Noranda, the Halsteads have been active in civic endeavors, principallly in community betterment activities. He is a past pressident of the New Madrid Chamber of Commerce and a past member of the board of directors of the New Madrid Country Cllub. H e is a member of the American Society for Metals and the American Legion.

The Halsteads are members of the Presbyterian Church.



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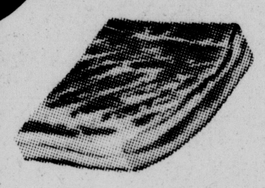

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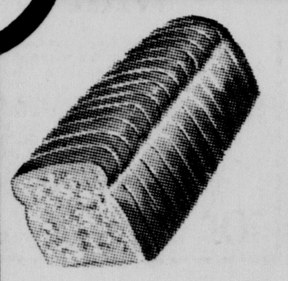

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Estate No. 4392

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Annie Lee Huffstutter, deceased.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Glenn H. Kage, Sr. and Mary Kage, his wife, by a cerrtain Deed of Trust dated the 5 day of June, 1970, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 169, Page 681, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of Lot Numbered Thirteen (13) in Block Numbered Seven (7) of Clayton's Addition to the City of Sikeston, Missouri, as shown in Plat Book No. 7 at Page 101 the Office of the Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Pomissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the main front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on April 15, 1975, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., and 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee

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NOTICE OF FILING OF FINAL SETTLEMENT AND PETITION FOR DISTRIBUTION
(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)

STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss.
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Carl J. Baker)
deceased.)

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF CARL J. BAKER, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 18th day of April, 1975 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

(SEAL)

Alvin Baker
Administrator
415 Wright,
Chaffee, Missouri
314 887-3364

Kenneth L. Dement
Attorney
310 West North St.,
Sikeston, Mo.
314 471-1833

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Alumnas and *alumna* are really the Latin words for "foster son" and "foster daughter."

Looking back

Fire damages second story

50 years ago
April 2, 1925

Fire broke out at the home of Mrs. J. A. Milem on Park avenue Wednesday noon. The blaze, which was probably caused by a spark falling on the roof, was discovered after nearly the whole roof caught. The fire department gave prompt service, but was unable to save the second story of the building. About $1,500 is the estimated loss to the building.

New Madrid -- H. E. Morrison of Sikeston was transacting business at New Madrid Tuesday.

C. L. Stanley, 43, of Campbell, was instantly killed this morning when a steering gear of his automobile either locked or broke as he was driving near Bernie.

P. H. Gross has let a contract to J. R. McKinney for a two-room store building near the shoe factory. The building which is to be of hollow tile is one story. Each room will measure 20 x 60 feet. Mr. Gross will have a grocery store in one of the rooms and a butcher shop in the other.

40 years ago
April 2, 1935

Miss Ruth Ward Powell will leave here the last of this week for West Plains, where she will begin Monday serving as secretary to W. J. Eckhart, a district relief representative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. King, recently moved here from Springfield, Mo., and are building a new home on Prosperity street, which they will occupy on or before the last of April.

Bob Linn, the 1928 Olympic champion hitchkicker, performed at a high school assembly Friday. Mr. Linn, who said he won his title at the international matches in Amsterdam, Holland, has stated he will try to interest players in forming a baseball club here. He is staying at the John O'Hara home on East Center street.

A near record rain fell here Saturday when precipitation totaled 5.45 inches in 20 hours, between 7 Saturday morning and 3 a.m. Sunday.

Kemper Bruton was chosen to head the Sikeston Junior Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of 15 charter members held Thursday at the Del Rey Hotel.

30 years ago
April 2, 1945

E. G. Grigsby, age 73, of the Miner Switch community, died Friday of a heart attack.

Mrs. C. S. Britton of Cairo, Ill., died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Allen, of Sikeston, following an illness of three weeks from a heart ailment.

Jeff Sutton has purchased the Dobson grocery and market on South Kingshighway and expresses a desire to see his old customers.

Everett W. Harbinson, a farmer for 30 years in the Miner Switch Community, died Friday following an illness of several months.

20 years ago
April 2, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Max D. Minner of Orlando, Fla., announce the arrival in their home of a baby girl whom they have chosen as their daughter. Pamela Ann is the name selected for the new baby, who was born on March 6. Mr. Minner is the son of Mrs. Lina J. Minner of Sikeston

Charleston -- Dr. William Lewis Meyer, 62, pastor of the First Methodist Church here for the past three years and widely known and enjoyed as a public speaker in Southeast Missouri, died of a heart attack Thursday while attending a meeting of Masonic Lodge No. 407 here.

What's the law?

The case of the chauvinistic employer

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Vickie had a figure that could have befuddled the greatest mathematician. The only one she befuddled, however, was the president of the corporation for which she worked when he spotted her wearing hot pants.

Finding it distractive attire, he directed his plant foreman to tell her to go home immediately and come back wearing something more proper -- or else. Accepting the "or else" literally, Vickie took the initiative and quit her job. When she applied for unemployment benefits, however, she was turned down.

"You can collect unemployment benefits only if you left your employment for good cause," she was told. "And, you didn't have good cause."

"I sure did," was Vickie's answer. "An employer can't just tell an employe what she can or cannot wear. The fact is, I wore my hot pants around the plant all summer without any evidence that I caused any distraction or disruption among any of my fellow employes. Since hot pants are proper attire and since I wasn't allowed to wear them, I had a right to quit. It was pure male chauvinism."

The dispute ended up in court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit Vickie and her hot pants to collect unemployment benefits?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held, in effect, while there was no evidence that Vickie's hot pants had caused any distraction or disruption among her coemployes, it was sufficient that her employer found them distractive -- and not suitable. Thus, concluded the judge, Vickie did not quit her job for sufficient reason to entitle her to collect unemployment benefits.

(Based upon a 1974 New York Supreme Court, App. Dvi., Decisoon)

On all federal, state and private forest and nonforested watershed lands during 1973, a total of 117,957 fires were reported, The World Almanac notes, totaling 1,915,273 acres devastated by fire. Through carelessness or incendiarism, man is blamed for the largest portion of wildfires. During 1973 some 81,493, or 89 per cent of the 91,683 fires reported as having burned on protected land were man-caused.

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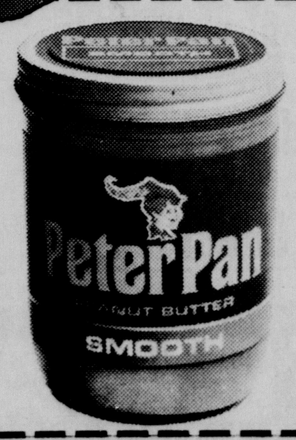

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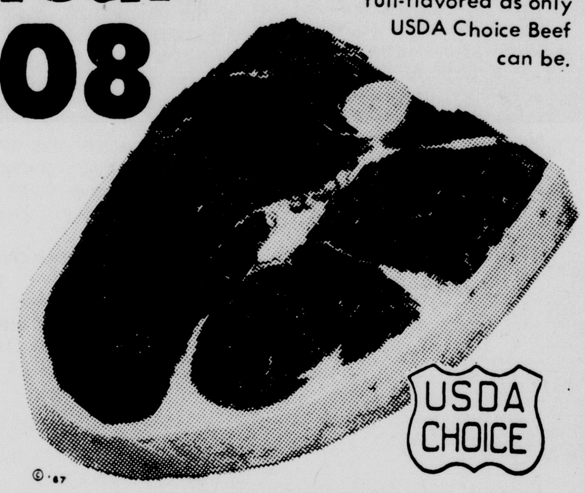

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Wednesday, April 2, 1975

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Smoked Sausage	Finkbeiner Hickory Smoked	Lb. **$1.19**
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Fish Sticks	Captain's Choice Frozen for Freshness	14-Oz. Pkg. **99¢**
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Raisin Bread	Mrs. Wright's Our Low Price!	1-Lb. Loaf **55¢**
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American Cheese	Lucerne Cheese Food Single Wrapped	8-Oz. Pkg. **69¢**
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Soft Drinks	Cragmont Assorted Flavors	3 Qt. Btls.	**$1**
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Corn Cobbies	Bel Air Our Low Price!	8-Ear Pkg.	**88¢**
Orange Juice	Scotch Treat Why Pay More?	5 6-Oz. Tins	**$1**
Strawberries	Scotch Treat Makes a Great Topping!	10-Oz. Tin	**39¢**
Chicken Dinner	Banquet Our Low Price!	11-Oz. Pkg.	**53¢**
Mexican Dinner	Banquet This Low Price Everyday!	1-Lb. Pkg.	**53¢**
Meat Pies	Manor House Stock Up and Save!	4 8-Oz. Pkgs.	**$1**
Cut Corn	Bel Air This Low Price Everyday!	3 10-Oz. Pkgs.	**$1**
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1-Lb. Tins

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Peaches

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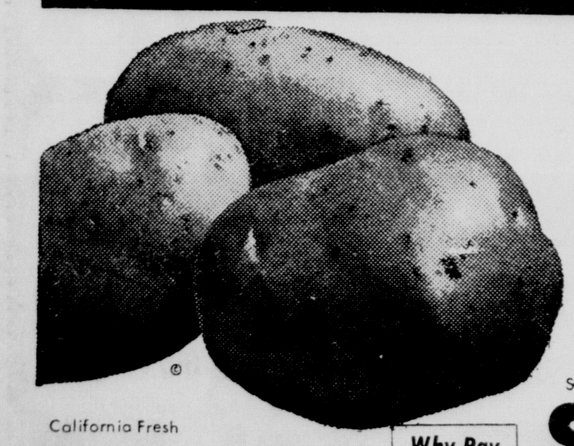

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Cooking Up

By CHERIE BLANTON

I just received a letter from a reader who said, "You have asked for recipes and lately, since I have concentrated on money-saving ones I've varied my stuffed pepper recipe (peppers are plentiful right now) and will share it with you." I do hope more of you will send me your favorites as I will really appreciate it. I have not had a chance to try out any of the dishes below but they all sound good and I can hardly wait to try them.

Here is an entire menu planned with recipes sent to me by readers. So let's get in the kitchen and have a scrumptious dinner ready. The main dish is Mrs. Harry Bock's of New Madrid.

STUFFED GREEN PEPPERS

Parboil four large sweet peppers that have been cut in half and cored. Cool. Saute one large onion, one-half chopped pepper, one rib celery, chopped, and one clove garlic, chopped in 2 tbsp. of bacon drippings. Add three-fourths pound ground beef and two Tbsp. chopped parsley. Cook until meat is browned. Remove from heat.

Add one grated carrot, two or three slices stale bread or the equivalent in stale rolls squeezed in water, 1 beaten egg, one-half teaspoon sugar and salt and pepper to taste. Add another egg if mixture is too stiff. Fill pepper shells. Cover with bread crumbs, dot with butter and sprinkle with a little paprika. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 40 minutes.

This next recipe is a fruit salad someone gave me and I apologize for not remembering who it was. But it , I think, would be delicious with peppers.

FRUIT SALAD

18-ounce package Philadelphia cream cheese
¾ cup sugar
Cream these two ingredients together until light and fluffy.
1 large carton Cool Whip
1 large can of sliced pineapple, cut up and drained
1 small can crushed pineapple, drained
1 (10 ounce) package frozen strawberries, thawed
3 sliced bananas
Mix the above together and freeze. Serves 16.

Here is a sure an easy bread and many say that it is quite delicious.

BEER BISCUITS

Mix and pour into muffin tins:
3 cups Bisquick
1½ Tbsp. sugar
1 can of beer, warm and flat

Bake at 425 degrees for about 15 minutes. Makes 16 muffins.

I don't know why on earth I have not gotten around to trying this out as my family is crazy about chocolate.

CHOCOLATE ANGEL PIE

½ pound (30) marshallows
1 cup milk
⅛ tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup cream
2 1-ounce bitter chocolate squares, grated
½ cup pecans, chopped
Baked pie shell
¼ cup shredded coconut

Add marshmallows to milk and heat in double boiler until melted. Cool. Stir in salt and vanilla. Fold in cream (whip first)0, chocolate and nuts. Pour into shell and sprinkle with coconut. Chill and top with another cup of whipped cream.

Polly's Pointers

Age of brass bed determines care

By Polly Cramer

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY — What do you recommend for polishing a brass bed? Is there something one can put on the brass after polishing to prevent it from tarnishing? I would certainly like to know and thank you. — BETTY.

DEAR BETTY — If yours is a new brass bed it is doubtless already lacquered to prevent tarnish so would only need to be wiped off with a soft, dry cloth. Mine is an old one and I had it professionally polished after some paint was removed and then lacquer was applied. With years of use plus someone mistakenly using polish, that protective finish wore away. After it was cleaned and polished with a commercial brass cleaner available at hardware stores and supermarkets, I sprayed on two coats of lacquer, drying between each of them. I held newspaper back of the part being sprayed to protect things nearby. — POLLY.

DEAR POLLY — My Pet Peeve is with the canners of dietetic foods who charge such outlandish prices for their products. They know diabetics, etc., have to have it and will buy. I have canned fruit myself and it is much better flavored when no sweetener is added but just cooked in its own juices. — CURTY.

DEAR POLLY — My sister is in the hospital and her elbows were becoming sore from lying down and from sitting up to read. To remedy this I made her a pair of "Elbow Softeners" from four circles of soft material, stuffed with cotton and sewed together around the edges. Two short pieces of elastic were covered with lace and then the ends of an elastic piece sewed to the front side of a circle on opposite sides. This way her hand can slip right through the lace covered elastic that is pushed right up to her elbow. This also would be helpful to many Senior Citizens. — DOROTHY B.

DEAR POLLY — For over 25 years I have saved the water in which potatoes were cooked to make gravy (poured into a small pan until ready to make the gravy). Now I also use some of it to mash the potatoes instead of turning on the gas to heat milk. I use dry milk in the hot water and find the potatoes stay hot longer. — ANN.

DEAR POLLY — I have discovered a quick and convenient way to give medicine to my infant son. I thoroughly clean with hot soap and water and boil a small bottle (the kind nose drops or eye drops come in) and then put the required amount of medicine in it. Cover the bottle by pulling a nipple over it and baby sucks the medicine out with no mess and little bother. — SANDI.

DEAR SANDI — How I wish I had thought of this years ago. It always seemed to me that my babies missed half the medicine in a spoon. Be certain though the bottle is sterilized and has no traces of other medicine in it. — POLLY.

You will receive a dollar if Polly uses your favorite homemaking idea, Pet Peeve, Polly's Problem or solution to a problem. Write Polly in care of this newspaper.

Pear Shortcakes Varied With Toppings

Here's a new look for that old favorite, fruit shortcake. Quick to prepare, these tasty desserts feature a delightful blend of flavors and textures and can be varied with a selection of toppings.

Each individual shortcake begins the same way with succulent slices of canned Bartlett pears arranged over toasted pound cake. Then comes a topping of your choice and a quick turn under the broiler. With their delicate sweetness canned Bartlett pears are compatible with numerous flavors. Choose from one of the delicious toppings, below, or create your own special version.

Convenient canned Bartlett pears are among the plentiful foods of this season. Serve them often to add dash and variety to everyday menus.

Pick-A-Topping Pear Shortcakes

Drain canned Bartlett pears and slice. Cut pound cake into ¾-inch slices and toast. Arrange sliced pears on pound cake and add a choice of topping. Place under broiler until hot and bubbly.

Pear Streussel Topping

Combine equal parts of soft butter, brown sugar and chopped pecans.

Pear Ambrosia Topping

Combine equal parts of granulated sugar and flaked coconut. Add grated orange peel to taste.

Pear Honey-Nut Topping

Combine equal parts of crunch-style peanut butter and honey.

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Lawrence Sanders, Manager

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LIMIT 6 49c

TURNER ICE MILK
2 HALF GALS.
$1.09

KREY PORK STEAK
79c Lb.

KREY ALL MEAT FRANKS
12 OZ. PKG.
49c

MILNOT
TALL CANS
4 For $1.00
LIMIT 12

KREY'S OLD TYME BOLOGNA
49c Lb.

FANCY BABY BEEF STEAKS
ROUND-T BONE
SIRLOIN-CLUB-
SWISS
99c LB.

KREY NO. 1 SLAB SLICED BACON
89c

COKES
6 QT. BTL.
$1.99
PLUS BOTTLE DEPOSIT

BEEF SHOULDER ROAST
69c LB.

FANCY BABY BEEF SIDE CUT FOR FREEZER
150 LB. AVG.
69c LB.

PLANTERS PEANUT BUTTER
18 OZ. JAR
79c
LIMIT 2

YELLOW ONION SETS
39c

RED OR WHITE SEED POTATOES
7c LB.

SCOT LAD FLOUR
5 LB. BAG
79c

RICHTEX SHORTENING
3 LB. CAN
LIMIT 2 $1.39

WAGNER GRAPE, ORANGE &
LOW CAL. ORANGE DRINK
3 32 Oz. Btl. For $1.00

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The Daily Standard, Sikeston, Mo.
Wednesday, April 2, 1975

GREAT BUYS ON ALL YOUR FAVORITES IN MEAT, PRODUCE AND DAIRY FROZEN DEPARTMENTS

FRYER BREAST Lb. 79¢

IGA COFFEE 3 Lb. Can $2.99

IGA TABLERITE FAMILY PAK **PORK STEAK** Lb. 89¢

COUNTRY STYLE **RIBS** Lb. 99¢

IGA TABLERITE FRESH **PICNIC PORK ROAST** Lb. 59¢

FRESH **PORK CUTLETS** Lb. 99¢

IGA TABLERITE CHOICE **CHUCK STEAK** Lb. 99¢

FRISKIES BEEF, CHICKEN & LIVER, LIVER & BACON
DINNERS
4 15 Oz. Can For $1.00

IGA CREAM OR WHOLE KERNAL **GOLDEN CORN**
SWEET PEAS OR **CUT GREEN BEANS**
BROOKS **CHILI HOT BEANS**
MIX or MATCH 303 Cans 3 For 99¢

PUREX HEAVY DUTY NEW ITEM **DETERGENT** 42 Oz. Box 79¢

BRILLO PADS 10 Count 39¢

DIXIE FARMS **POT PIES** 10¢ Each Limit 6

IGA OVEN FRESH **BREAD** 5 16 Oz. Loaves $1.00

IGA TABLERITE ¼ LOIN **PORK CHOPS** Lb. 89¢

IGA TABLERITE LOIN **PORK CHOPS** Lb. $1.19
IGA TABLERITE CENTER CUT **PORK CHOPS** Lb. $1.09
OUR OWN FRESH **PORK SAUSAGE** Lb. 69¢
FRYER LEGS Lb. 69¢
FRYER THIGHS Lb. 69¢
FRESH-SLICED **BEEF LIVER** Lb. 59¢

REELFOOT **WIENERS** 12 Oz. Pkg. 59¢

HEINZ KETCHUP 20 Oz. Btl. 59¢

COMET CLEANSER 14 Oz. Can 19¢

CHEF CHEESE **PIZZA MIX** 15 Oz. Box 75¢

SARAN WRAP 50 Ft. Roll 49¢

CALIFORNIA CRISPY **LETTUCE** 3 Heads 78¢

MEDIUM **WHITE ONIONS** Lb. 18¢

CHARMIN **BATHROOM TISSUE** 4 Roll Pak 59¢

PILLSBURY SELF-RISING OR PLAIN **FLOUR** 5 Lb. Bag 69¢
LIMIT 1 ONLY WITH $10.00 PURCHASE & COUPON BELOW

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GLAZED DONUTS Doz. 89¢
7:00 to 9:00 A.M. ALONG WITH FREE COFFEE
FRESH BAKED PRODUCTS AVAILABLE EVERY MORNING AT 7 A.M.

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KRAFT **SQUEEZE PARKAY** 1 Lb. 79¢

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BONUS COUPON — With this Coupon — PILLSBURY FLOUR 5 Lb. Bag Self-Rising or Plain 69¢ 3201-3149 Exp. 4-8-75 FP-10
BONUS COUPON — With this Coupon — LOG CABIN BUTTERED SYRUP 24 Oz. Btl. $1.25 3201-3149 Exp. 4-8-75 GF-10
BONUS COUPON — With this Coupon — MAX PAX COFFEE 10 Oz. $1.17 3201-3149 Exp. 4-8-75 G F-20

FLYING JIB **SHRIMP BITS** 1 Lb. Pkg. $1.49

FLORIDA **GREEN BEANS** Lb. 48¢
1 LB. CELLO **RADISHES** 38¢

CRISP **TURNIPS** 2 Lb. 48¢

SHOP THESE IGA STORES AND SAVE

OLD FASHIONED **NATURAL CHEDDER CHEESE** MAMMOTH WHEELS Lb $1.19

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BONUS COUPON — With this Coupon 3201-3149 — DISHWASHER ALL DETERGENT 35 Oz. 79¢ Exp. 4-8-75 LB-15
BONUS COUPON — With this Coupon — NOVE BATH SOAP 3 Bars 98¢ 3201-3149 Exp. 4-8-75 GB-15
BONUS COUPON — With this Coupon — DIXIE CUPS REFILL 100 Count 9 Oz. Size 79¢ 3201 - 3149 Exp. 4-8-75 AC-15

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WE HAVE: POSTAGE STAMPS, MONEY ORDERS, MASTER CHARGE
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QUALITY STAMP COMPANY, INC. STAMPS

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SIKESTON, MO.

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MON THRU SAT. 7A.M. TO 8 P.M.
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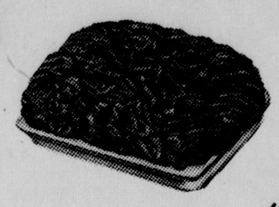
FAMILY PACK
FRYER PARTS LB. 39c



FRESH LEAN
GROUND BEEF LB. 69c
(4 LB. OR MORE PKG)

KREY FAMILY PACK
PORK CHOPS (FIRST CUTS) LB. 87c

KREY (BY PIECE)
BOLOGNA LB. 69c
KREY (BY PIECED)
BRAUNSCHWEIGER LB. 79c

KREY ALL MEAT
WIENERS 12 OZ. PKG. 59c
KREY ALL BEEF
WIENERS 12 OZ. PKG. 69c

COUNTRY STYLE
BACKBONES LB. 89c
PURE
GROUND CHUCK LB. 99c

KREY SELECT CENTER CUT
PORK CHOPS LB. $1.09

MORRELL ECONOMY
BACON LB. 69c

KREY SELECT LOIN CUT
PORK CHOPS LB. $1.19

HOMADE PURE PORK
SAUSAGE LB. 59c

SUNSWEET
PRUNE JUICE 40 Oz. Jar 79c
PLANTERS
PEANUT BUTTER 18 Oz. Jar 79c
McCORMICK
BLACK PEPPER 4 Oz. Can 69c
BAMA APPLE BASE &
APPLE JELLIES 18 Oz. Jar 69c

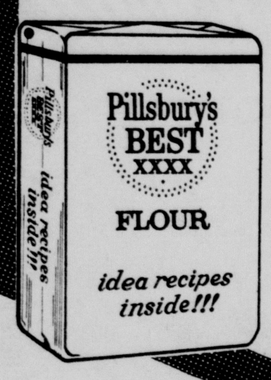
M & H FOOD STORE

HEINZ FAMILY SIZE
KETCHUP 20 Oz. Btl. 59c
MARTHA WHITE SELF-RISING
CORN MEAL 5 Lb. Bag 99c
HYDE PARK AMERICAN
CHEESE SINGLES 12 oz. Pkg. 79c
WYLER'S (Beef-Chicken-Onion)
BOUILLON CUBES 4 15 Ct. $1.00

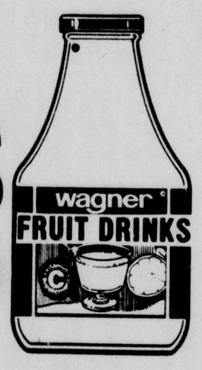
M & H FOOD STORE

DOWNY FLAKE (Bonus Pack)
WAFFLES 10 Ct. Pkg. 49c
GOLDEN WHEAT
MACARONI 2 Lb. Bag 69c
BANQUET COOKIN'
BAG MEATS 3 5 Oz. Pkgs. 89c
HART'S HOMESTYLE
BREAD 3 16 Oz. Loaves 89c

PILLSBURY
FLOUR 5 Lb. Bag 89c
WITH COUPON BELOW



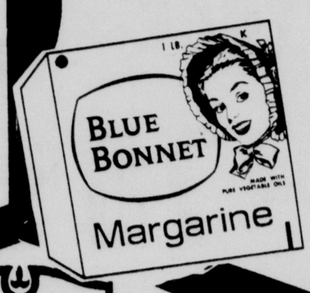
WAGNER
FRUIT DRINKS 3 32 Oz. Jugs $1.00



FREE SAMPLES FRIDAY & SATURDAY
TONY'S
PIZZAS 13 Oz. Box 99c

ZESTEE
SALAD DRESSING QT. JAR 69c

BLUE BONNET
MARGARINE LB. PKG. 49c



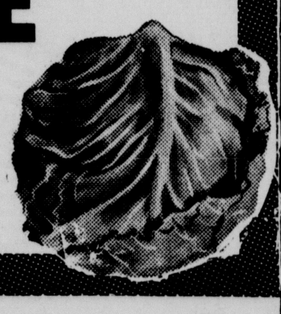
CREST TOP
GREEN BEANS 5 300 CANS $1

BANQUET
POT PIES 4 8 Oz. Boxes $1.00

SUNSHINE
DOG RATIONS 25 Lb. Bag $3.49
KRAFT
MIRACLE MARGARINE Lb. box 59c

SOFT 'N PRETTY BATH
TISSUE 4-Roll Pkg. 69c

"RIGHT FOR SLAW"
CABBAGE LB. 9c



KRAFT'S
Miracle Whip 32 Oz. Jar $1.19

SEALTEST
ICE CREAM ½ Gal. box 99c
PUREX HEAVY DUTY
DETERGENT 42 Oz. Box 79c
STAYFREE
MAXI-PADS 30's $1.49
WILDERNESS (Blueberry-Strawberry)
PIE FILLING No. 2 Can 79c

M & H FOOD STORE

FOODMART COUPON
BORDEN'S
CREMORA 16 Oz. Jar 99c
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-10 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
AUNT JEMIMA
CORN MEAL MIX 2 Lb. Box 25c
NO. C698
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-19 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
KEEBLER ZESTA
SALTINES 16 Oz. Box 49c
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-10 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

M & H FOOD STORE

GOOD QUALITY RED
POTATOES 20 Lb. Bag 99c
SALAD SIZE
BASKET TOMATOES Bskt. 49c
JUICY
GRAPEFRUIT 5 Lb. Bag 99c
REYNOLDS
ALUMINUM FOIL 3 25 Ft. rolls $1.00

FOODMART COUPON
CHEF
PIZZAS 13 Oz. Box 69c
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-15 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
BIRDS-EYE CUT CORN-
PEAS-BROCCOLI 3 10 Oz. Pkgs. $1
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-15 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
"ALWAYS ROOM FOR"
JELLO 5 3 Oz. Boxes $1
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-13 Expo. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
LOG CABIN BUTTERED
SYRUP 24 Oz. Btl. $1.29
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-10 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
FABRIC SOFTENER
CLING FREE 7 Oz. Can $1.19
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-20 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
CALGON
WATER SOFTENER 40 Oz. Box $1.39
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-20 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
FRENCH's COUNTRY STYLE
INSTANT POTATOES 16 Oz. box 79c
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-15 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
ALL PURPOSE CLEANER
GREEN MAGIC 16 Oz. Cup $1.49
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-20 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
PILLSBURY
FLOUR 5 Lb. Bag 89c
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-10 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
HUNGARY JACK
POTATO FLAKES 16 Oz. box 79c
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-15 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
PILLSBURY CAKE MIX
ANGEL FOOD 15 Oz. Box 85c
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-14 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
INSTANT COFFEE
SANKA 8 Oz. Jar $2.29
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-40 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

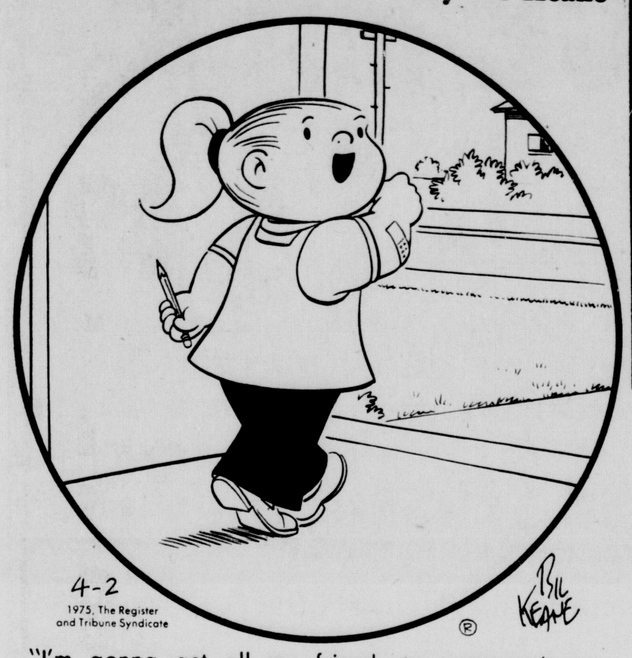
FOODMART COUPON
BATH SOAP
IRISH SPRING 2 Bath Bars 59c
NO. 0001-548598
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-7 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
BAGGIES
TRASH BAGS 10 Ct. 99c
NO. 0001-548598
WITH THIS COUPON LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-15 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
GLAD LAWN
CLEAN-UP BAGS 5 Ct. Box 99c
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-10 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

FOODMART COUPON
GLAD HEAVY LAWN
CLEAN-UP BAGS 4 Ct. box 1.09
WITH THIS COUPON-LIMIT ONE COUPON PER CUSTOMER
R-10 Exp. 4-8-75
VALUABLE COUPON

THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"I'm gonna get all my friends to autograph my bandage."

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"Well, who was it convinced her she should play the field?"

SIDE GLOTANCES by Gill Fox

"At that price, young man, I expect genuine imported Arabian oil in my car!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Thursday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 You	31 Involved	61 In
2 Consolidate	32 Your	62 Guessing
3 Can	33 Assistance	63 You
4 Friend	34 For	64 Yours
5 May	35 In	65 Today
6 Be	36 Don't	66 Need
7 Take	37 Efficient	67 Could
8 Positive	38 Activity	68 Today
9 Aspects	39 Be	69 By
10 Action	40 Is	70 Fail
11 Fellow	41 But	71 Your
12 Get	42 Favorable	72 Promise
13 Bickering	43 Have	73 It
14 Look	44 Luck	74 Don't
15 Some	45 Travel	75 Action
16 Don't	46 Don't	76 Of
17 You	47 Expected	77 To
18 Special	48 Answers	78 Become
19 Try	49 Is	79 Plans
20 Money	50 Money	80 Anything
21 Forward	51 Sports	81 Materialize
22 Workers	52 Tempted	82 Personal
23 To	53 Others	83 Today
24 On	54 Available	84 Involved
25 To	55 Start	85 Today
26 Bring	56 You	86 Great
27 Is	57 If	87 Life
28 Can	58 Into	88 New
29 Force	59 Gains	89 Unwittingly
30 Extra	60 Others	90 Wealth

4/3 Good Adverse Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 7- 8-10-24 32-45-79-83
TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 4- 5-12-17 31-35-51
GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 47-50-59-67 70-77-81-85
CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 33-40-54-57 63-66-73
LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 9-26-30-38 61-71-82-87
VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 16-19-25-29 53-58-75
LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 13-27-34-60 74-78-84-89
SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 1- 3-14-21 23-42-48
SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 36-39-52-69 72-76-86-90
CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 11-22-28-43 56-62-68
AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 15-18-20-44 49-64-65
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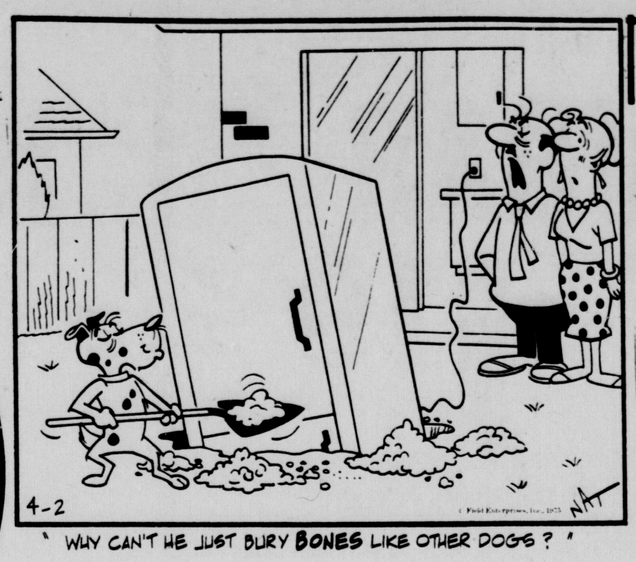
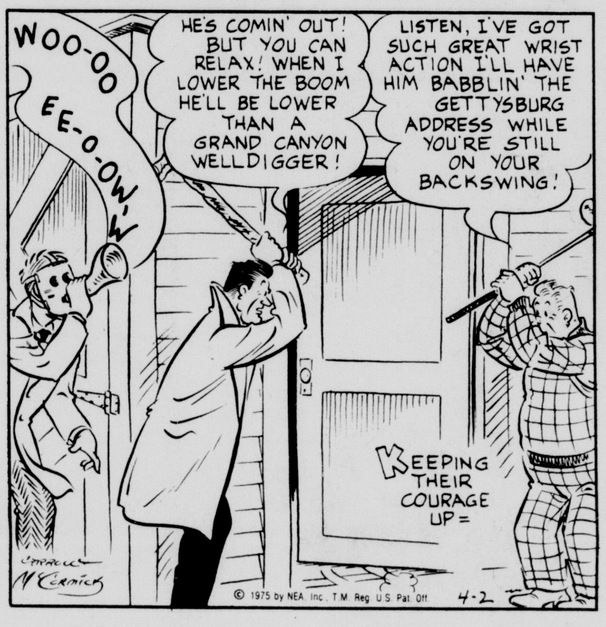


"WHY CAN'T HE JUST BURY BONES LIKE OTHER DOGS?"

OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople



Relatives

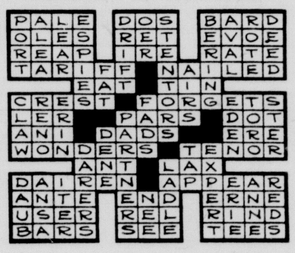
ACROSS

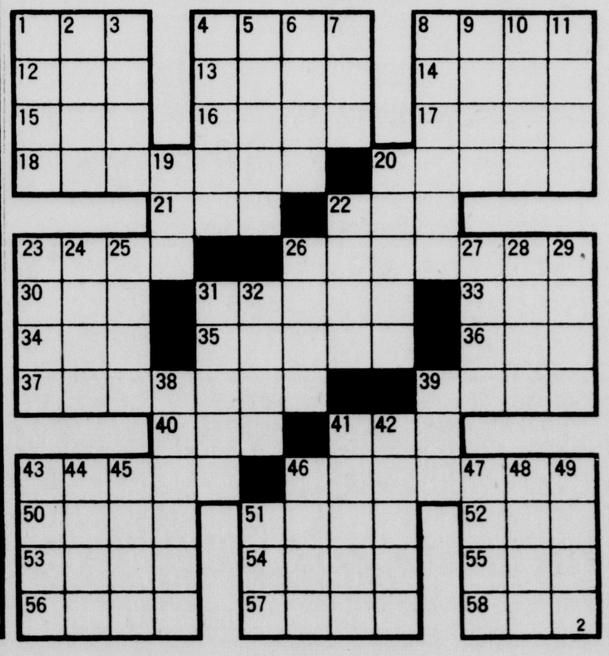
1 Female sibling (coll.)
4 Mother (coll.)
8 Father (coll.)
12 Oklahoma Indians
13 Scent
14 Middle East native
15 Boy's nickname
16 Learning
17 Ceremony
18 Mother's father (coll.)
20 Lease again
21 Superlative suffix
22 2,000 pounds
23 Infant
26 Camera part
30 Presidential nickname
31 French painter
33 Single thing
34 Mesh
35 Prayer endings
36 Gradually slower (ab.)
37 Spanish nobleman
39 Completes
40 One of the Gershwins
41 Building site
43 Brother's daughter
46 Sister's sons
50 Talent (Italian)
51 Pontiff
52 Meadow
53 Mexican worker
54 Arabian gulf
55 Japanese coin
56 Slave
57 Indian weights
58 Piece out

DOWN

1 Lay
2 Roman road
3 Soft drink
4 Shapes
5 Take as one's own
6 Metrical time unit
7 Exist
8 Father or mother
9 Seed covering
10 Top of head
11 Assist
19 Maiden name
20 Digs for food
22 At that time
23 Loud noise
24 German conjunction
25 Greek letter
26 Koko's weapon
27 Ripped
28 Geraint's wife
29 Soaks flax
31 Mother (Sp.)
32 Ohio Music Educators' Association (ab.)
38 Certain creed
39 Ordinal number suffix
41 Outcast
42 Unlocks
43 Back of neck
44 Makes angry
45 Kind of jacket
46 Protuberance
47 Otherwise
48 Month part
49 Rational
51 Dance step

Answer to Previous Puzzle





Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, April 2, the 92nd day of 1975. There are 273 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1917, President Woodrow Wilson asked Congress to declare war on Germany, saying the world must be made safe for democracy.

On this date:

In 1792, Congress established the U.S. Mint.

In 1865, during the Civil War, Confederate President Jefferson Davis and most of his cabinet fled from Richmond, Va.

In 1882, the outlaw, Jesse James, was shot and killed by a member of his gang in St. Joseph, Mo.

In 1932, Charles Lindbergh turned over $50,000 dollars to an unidentified man in a Bronx, New York, cemetery as ransom for his kidnapped son.

In 1944, Soviet forces entered Romania during World War II.

In 1947, the United Nations assigned the United States as a trustee of Pacific islands formerly held by Japan under mandate.

Ten years ago: Prime Minister Harold Wilson of Britain and French President Charles de Gaulle agreed at a Paris meeting "that some sort of basis must be found for a peaceful settlement in Vietnam."

Five years ago: Japanese students who had hijacked an airliner released 103 passengers at the airport at Seoul in South Korea and accepted the Japanese Vice Minister of Transportation as a hostage for a flight to North Korea.

One year ago: President George Pompidou of France died in Paris at the age of 62.

Today's birthdays: Actor Alec Guinness is 61. Television actor and producer Jack Webb is 55.

They'll Do It Every Time

STEVE CANYON By Milton Caniff

CAPTAIN EASY By Crooks & Lawrence

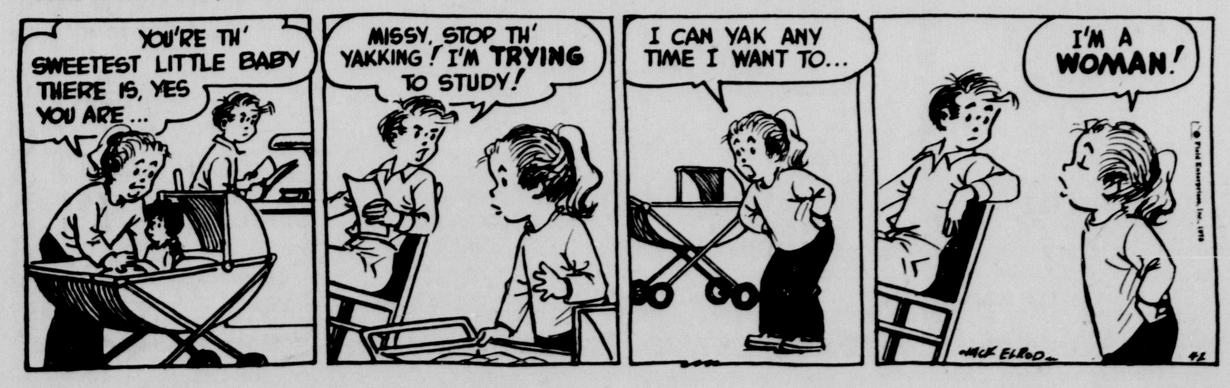
MARY WORTH By Saunders and Ernst

PEANUTS By Schulz

ALLEY OOP By Grave

THE PHANTOM By Falk & Berry

THE RYATTS By Jack Elrod



BEETLE BAILEY By Mort Walker

PLENTY OF FREE PARKING
FRIENDLY CARRY OUT SERVICE

Liberty Supermarket

HOURS
WEEK DAYS 8-10
FRIDAY & SATURDAY 8-11

WE GLADLY ACCEPT FOOD STAMPS

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

142 N. RANNEY ST.-SIKESTON, MO. - PHONE 471-2464

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SUGAR
5 LB BAG $1.19
"20" OR MORE REQUIRED FOR BOTH PURCHASED ITEMS
LIMIT ONE WITH $10 OR MORE ADDITIONAL PURCH. EXC. MILK, TOBACCO & BEER.

BIG DIP
ICE MILK
½ GALLON 19c
LIMIT 1
WITH 10" ADD PURCH EXCL BEER, MILK & TOBB.

SHOP LIBERTY — SAVE YOUR REGISTER RECEIPTS FOR A 1% REFUND FOR YOUR FAVORITE CHURCH, CHARITY OR CIVIC GROUP.

PORK
NECK BONES LB 39c

CENTRAL
POLISH SAUSAGE LB 69c

FRESH LEAN
PORK STEAK
FAMILY PACK LB 79c

METZGER
BOLOGNA
BY THE PIECE LB. 49c

USDA GOV'T INSPECTED
FRYERS
FAMILY PACK CUT UP
LIMIT 2 PLEASE LB. 39c

SHOWBOAT
PORK N' BEANS 4 14½ Oz. Cans $1.00

REELFOOT
WIENERS Lb. Pkg. 69c

REELFOOT
SAUSAGE LB 99c

PRIDE OF ILLINOIS
YELLOW CORN
3 16 OZ. CANS 89c

FRESH 100% PURE BEEF
GROUND BEEF
FAMILY PACK LB 59c

COLUMBIA SLICED
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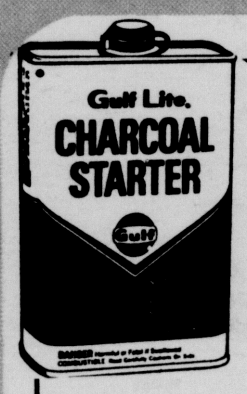

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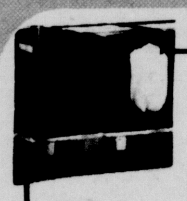

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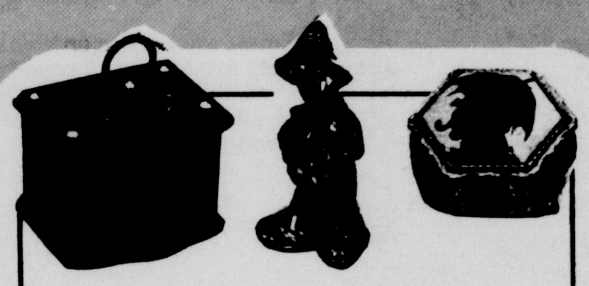

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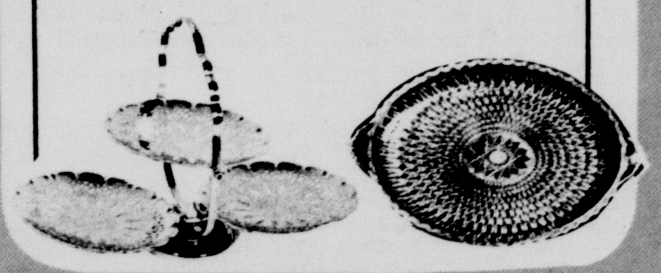

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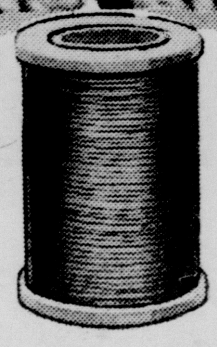

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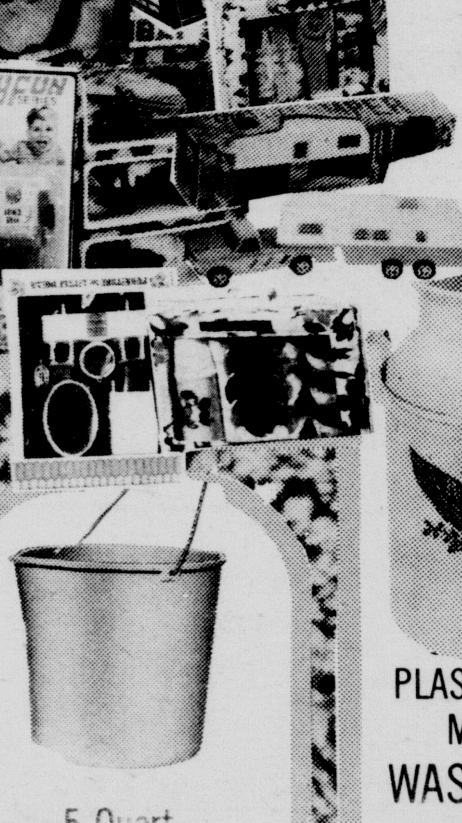

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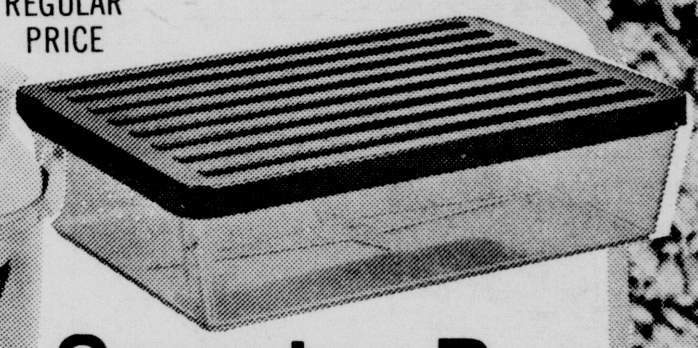

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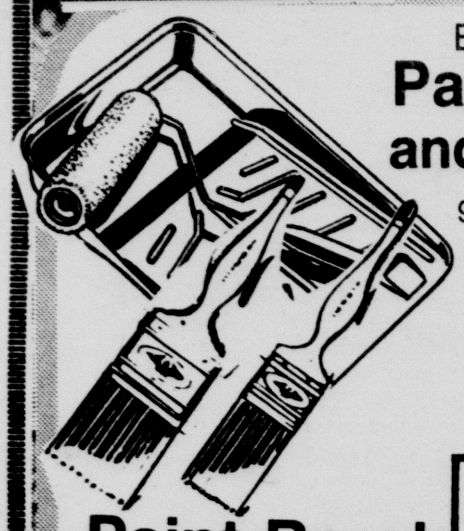

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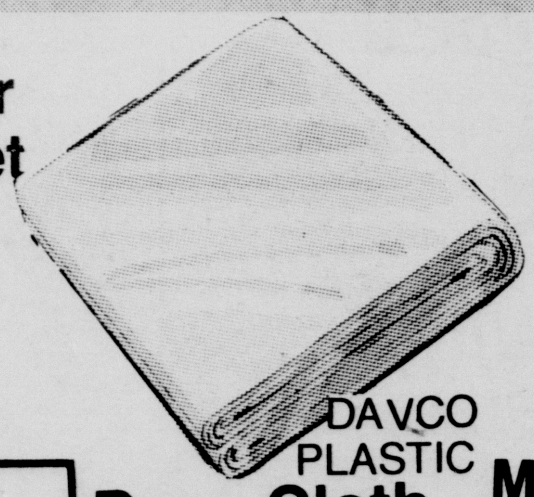

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Reg. 29¢
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Reg. $1.09
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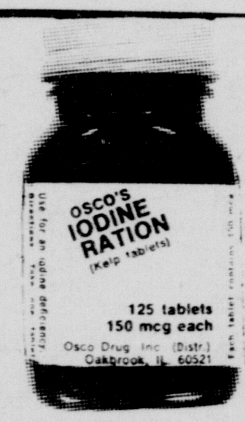

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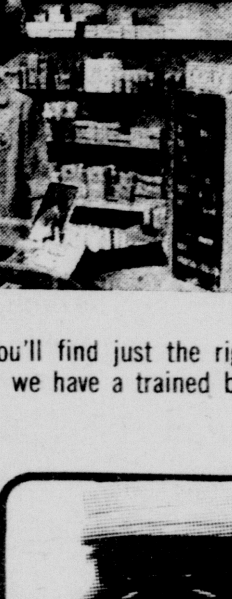

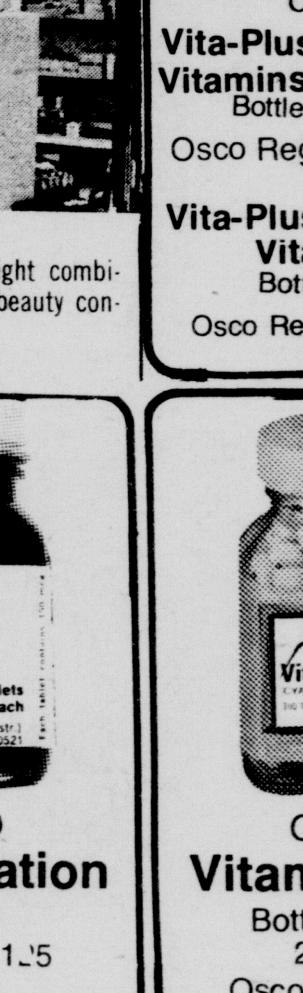

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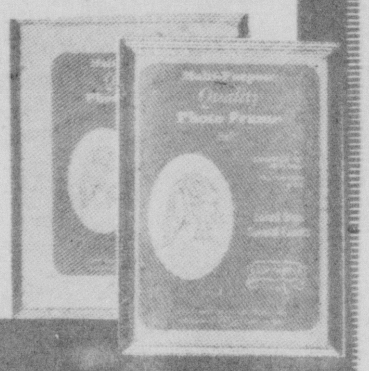

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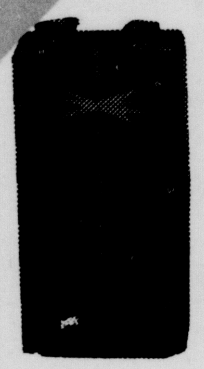

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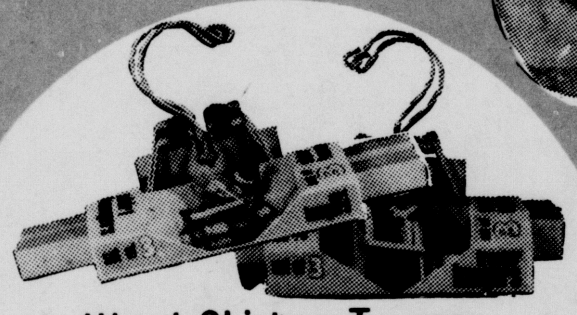

Wood Skirt or Trouser HANGERS
Set of 3
2 Sets for $1.29

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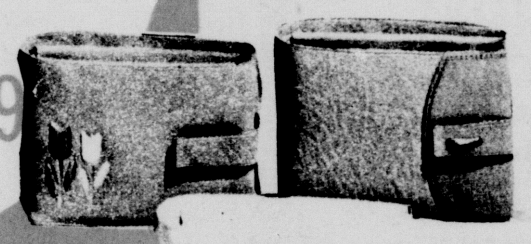

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8 Oz. Reg. 59¢
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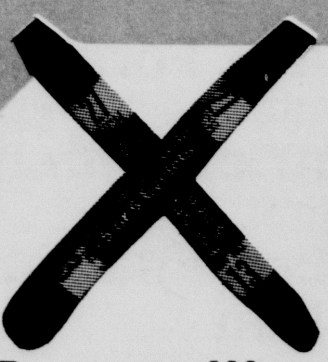

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Kiwi Shoe Polish
3 Oz.
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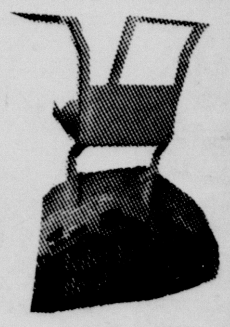

Toilet Bowl Deodorant
2 for 33¢

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Vacuum Cleaner Bags
2 for 79¢
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Floodway may be used, Corps warns residents

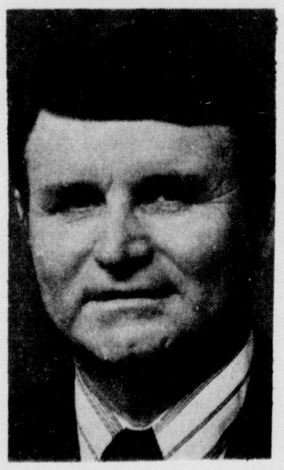
MEMPHIS-- The Memphis District, U.S. Army Corps of engineers, today cautioned residents, lessees, landowners, trailer owners and lessee-operators in the Birds Point - New Madrid Floodway that current conditions on the Mississippi river might call for use of the floodway. Col. A. C. Lehman, Memphis district engineer, warned persons within the floodway to be prepared to evacuate should conditions worsen.

The Birds Point- New Madrid Floodway was developed under acts of Congress by the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and is a vital part of the overall flood control project designed to safely contain floodwaters on the Lower Mississippi River. Use of the floodway is necessary at 58 feet on the Cairo gauge when stages in excess of 60 feet are forecast.

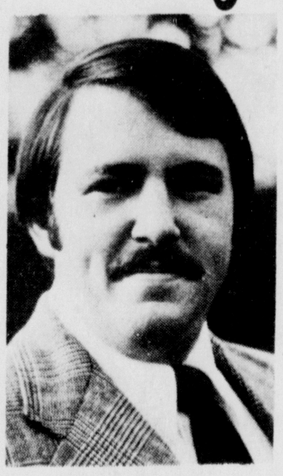
Once placed in operation, the floodway will reduce flood crests for about 20 miles up both the Mississippi and Ohio Rivers by as much as 2 ½ feet at both Cape Girardeau, Mo. on the Paducah, Ky., on the Ohio. Without this emergency relief, flood protection works all along these reaches would have to be drastically raised.

"At present," said Col. Lehman, "use of the floodway will not be required, but the unusually high stages and unpredictable weather could quickly change the situation.

Adequate notice will be given through the local Civil Defense officials, the highway patrol, and all news media to allow time for evacuation of people, livestock, and for removal of personal belongings. Persons in the floodway should take advance preparations to allow expeditious action should such a notice be issued."



Billy Ryan



Eric Piel

Ryan, Piel win council posts

Billy Ryan and Eric Piel won seats on the Sikeston City Council Tuesday in an election where 1,400 voters cast ballots.

There were slightly over 7,000 registered voters in the city.

Ryan , an incumbent, captured 963 votes and Piel won 775. Placing third was James G. "Pete" Malone with 640 and fourth was C.L. Blanton Jr., with 509.

Piel will occupy the seat held by Frank Ferrell who did not seek re-election.

Ryan won every precinct except Sunset, where he got 46 votes. Sunset was carried by Piel with 54 votes.

Votes by precinct are: Park precinct, Semo Motor Co., Ryan, 176, Piel, 164, Malone 135, and Blanton 103; Airport precinct, Ethridge Tire Co., Ryan, 99, Piel , 83, Malone ,54, and Blanton, 49.

Allen precinct, Sonny Presley, Chevrolet, Ryan, 179, Piel, 131, Malone, 141, and Blanton, 84; Sunset precinct, Lincoln School, Ryan, 46, Piel, 54, Malone, 43, and Blanton, 46.

Delmar precinct, Sikeston Actiivity Center, Ryan, 98, Piel, 75, Malone, 58, and Blanton, 60; Clayton precinct, Lewis Furniture Store, Ryan, 84, Piel, 66, Malone, 53, and Blanton, 38.

Armory precinct, National Guard Armory , Ryan, 196, Piel, 148, Malone, 110, Blanton, 92; Broadway precinct, Imperial Bowling Lanes, Ryan , 76, Piel, 50, Malone, 37, and Blanton, 35.

Absentee ballots were: Ryan.9, Piel, 4, Malone, 9, and Blanton, 2.

New Viet leadership sought to end war

SAIGON, South Vietnam (AP) — The South Vietnamese Senate called unanimously today for a new leadership to end the war as President Nguyen Van Thieu's government gave up the last of its enclaves in the central part of the country without a fight.

Anarchy and panic gripped five cities in the region, including Cam Ranh, now among the three-quarters of South Vietnam under North Vietnamese and Viet Cong control.

In a flight from possible turmoil in Saigon, a World Airways DC8 left for the United States carrying 60 Vietnamese orphan babies.

The head of the airline, Ed Daly, said the South Vietnamese approved the evacuation of 500 other orphan babies but that the U.S. Embassy prevented their departure because it felt his plane was unsafe.

A spokesman for the U.S. Embassy today denied that it had blocked the departure of the 500 babies, saying the Friends of All Children, a charitable organization helping Americans adopt children, made the decision.

Thieu summoned Premier Tran Thien Khiem, his cabinet and the top military commanders to a meeting and there was speculation that a new cabinet would be announced.

In a radio address, Khiem pledged to hold onto remaining government-controlled areas and "from there work toward retaking control of the entire country."

Thieu also had a meeting with U.S. Army Chief of Staff Frederick Weyand who has been in South Vietnam for a week on a fact-finding trip ordered by President Ford.

In Phnom Penh, the U.S. Embassy made plans to temporarily evacuate 15 per cent of its 200 American staff members to Thailand as rebel forces marched on the second largest city of Battambang and swept over Neak Luong, the government's last stronghold on the Mekong River.

In its first open break with Thieu, the previously pro-government Senate charged the president with "counting exclusively on a military solution ... in solving a war with many political characteristics." It said he was guilty of "an abuse of power, corruption and social injustice."

The Senate, regarded as little more than a rubber-stamp body since pro-Thieu candidates took control of it nearly two years ago, passed the resolution by a vote of 41 to 0. The vote does not have any binding effect, however.

The Senate also charged the United States with failure to respect its commitments to South Vietnam. The charge was echoed in Washington, where South Vietnamese Ambassador Tran Kim Phuong said in a television interview the United States had not lived up the Paris ceasefire and the world probably would conclude it is safer to be an ally of the Communists than the Americans.

Board incumbents turn back strong challenge

Lee Shell and Phil Barkett turned back a strong challenge from Jolene Walker to win re-election to the Sikeston R-6 School Board Tuesday.

Shell led the balloting with 1,352 votes, Barkett was second with 1,273 and Mrs. Walker ran a close third with 1,124.

Votes by precinct were; Park precint, Semo Motor Co., Shell, 179, Barkett, 192, Walker, 183; Airport precinct, Ethridge Tire Co., Shell, 107, Barkett, 95, Walker, 79.

Allen precinct, Sonny Presley Chevrolet, Shell, 188, Barkett, 178, Walker, 185; Sunset precinct, Lincoln School, Shell, 49, Barkett, 60, Walker, 69.

Delmar precinct, Sikeston Activity Center, Shell, 118, Barkett, 98, Walker, 77; Clayton precinct, Lewis Furniture store, Shell, 98, Barkett, 70, Walker, 65.

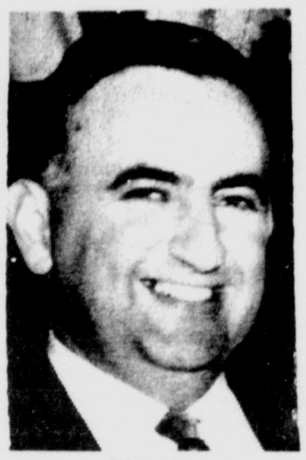
Armory precinct, National Guard Armory, Shell, 210, Barkett, 180, Walker, 145; Broadway precinct, Imperial Bowling Lanes, Shell, 73, Barkett, 59, Walker, 60.

Morehouse precinct one, Shell, 116, Barkett, 121, Walker, 122; Morehouse precinct two, Shell, 60, Barkett, 76, Walker, 48.

Salcedo precinct, Shell, 13, Barkett. 17, Walker, 7; McMullin precinct, Shell, 4, Barkett, 3, Walker, 3; Miner precinct, Shell, 131, Barkett, 118, Walker, 78.

Absentee ballots; Shell, 6, Barkett, 5, Walker, 3.

Lee Shell



Phil Barkett

Tax levy increased in Puxico district

BLOOMFIELD--Three Stoddard County cities have new mayors and the Puxico School District passed an increased tax levy in Tuesday's city and school elections.

In Advance, Carl Richmond won the position of mayor, defeating Don Cecil by a vote of 175 to 112. Kenneth Spane was elected alderman from ward one, defeating Kenneth Long, by a vote of 112 to 73. Ralph McDaniel was elected police judge, receiving 129 votes. His opponents Val Hamby drew 126 votes and George Douglas received 31 votes. L.O. Ruetzel was unopposed for alderman from ward otwo.

Advance School District voters re-elected Robert Crader and Ted Lampher. Crader drew 254 votes and Lampher received 217 votes. Opponents, Gary DeVault received 153 votes and Richard Reutzel 142 votes.

Bell City voters elected Harold Tilly Jr. to the position of alderman from ward one. Tilley received 32 votes; Jerry T. Coleman 3 votes; Richard Ramley, 5 votes and Fred McKee, 20 votes. In ward two, Max Bollinger defeated his opponent Harold Hart by a vote of 38 to 18.

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Workshop tax approved

Scott County voters Tuesday approved a 10 cents per $100 valuation tax levy to finance a countywide sheltered workshop for the care and employment of post-school handicapped persons.

The final vote was 2,689 for the proposal and 1,722 against.

The election was called by the Scott County Court after supporters of the proposal had gathered about 1,400 signatures on petitions requesting such an election be held.

B.W. Gunn, director of the Sikeston Community Sheltered Workshop, has said that the tax money will be used to build a new sheltered workshop to replace the present structure and that residential homes may be constructed for persons enrolled in the program.

Gunn said that in Scott County there are 200 to 300 persons who are handicapped that are in the low-to-borderline I.Q. level and who are physically handicapped and are not able to compete for jobs in the regular labor market.

These people are productive, however, andearn their income, but they must have selective work and close supervision, Gunn said.

The community response to this need has been outstanding, Jones said. Many groups and many individuals, from Sikeston, Poplar Bluff, and other communities, have participated in raising funs to purchase the machine, to educate personnel, and to generally make the service accessible to those in need. Jones said "This is another example of the goodness exhibited in so many ways by the people of this community. We have seen this expression of concern for others exemplified in so many ways and by so many people during the past years at the Hospital. It is this feeling of concern that has made this a good community and ours a good hospital."

R-1 board members represent same area

NEW MADRID — In a four-way contest for two positions on the New Madrid R-1 Enlarged School District Board of Education Opal Bondurant of Catron and incumbent Hoyte Butler of Parma were elected Tuesday over incumbent Metts Hawkins of Portageville Route One and Harold Dial of Portageville.

For the first time since the district was reorganized in 1968, two directors representing the same geographical unit were elected. Mrs. Bondurant, who tallied 2, 162 votes is the first woman to be elected to the board of the reorganized district.

Butler got 2,041 votes; Hawkins, 1,895 and Dial, 1,586.

Voters in the Gideon 37 school election returned Calvin Walker to the board of education for an unexpired two-year term over opponent Evert Harris. Walker, who had been serving by appointment, received 200 votes and Harris polled 61.

Unopposed incumbents Jack Campbell and Woodrow Woolverton were re-elected to three-year terms by 250 and 211 votes respectively.

Risco R-2 School District voters re-elected unopposed incumbent directors Van Gibbs and Paul C. Crouthers. Gibbs tallied 74 votes and and Crouthers 73.

Paul C.Crouthers of Risco and Allan Littell of Gideon, incumbent directors on the New Madrid County Board of Education, were returned to three-year terms. Littell represents the Second County Court District and Crouthers the First County Court District. Littell was the only declared candidate and Crouthers was voted in by write-in ballots.

Hospital receives approval for new dialysis service

The Missouri Delta Community Hospital has been notified by the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare that it is approved to provide a "maintenance dialysis service." The approval was received by written authority dated March 28.

This approval brings to a close efforts started approximately 18 months ago by many interested persons to make this service available for the area.

Harold Jones, hospital administrator, said plans to secure the quipment and to make necessary installation are under way. The facility will be ready for use in the near future. The hospital secured the services of a registered nurse several months ago and has made it possible for her to complete special training at Baptist Memorial Hospital in Memphis, Tenn., thereby qualifying her to work with the dialysis patient.

Dr. J.R. Dupont, a Sikeston thoro-vascular surgeon, is the physician in charge of the dialysis unit and will be working in cooperation with Dr. Robert Kelly, nephrologist in Memphis, Tenn. Dr. Dupont has been instrumental in securing local support for this unit.

The need for these services has been made apparent by Sikeston residents who are now traveling to Memphis two and three times per week for this special procedure. The renal dialysis machine is used when a patient's biological filtering process fails to function. By this process, impurities are removed from the blood that are normally filtered out by the kidneys.

3 federal grants awarded in Bootheel

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Gov. Christopher S. Bond said today he has been told by the Economic Development Administration that federal grants have been awarded for projects in Dunklin, New Madrid and Pemiscot counties.

A $618,000 grant to be matched by $412,000 by the city of Malden in Dunklin County will be used to expand an industrial park and encourage new firms to enter that area.

Howardville in New Madrid County will receive $450,000 to provide immediate construction jobs for the unemployed.

Hayti in Pemiscot County has been approved for $107,400 to stimulate industrial growth and provide commercial and industrial sewer facilities. The city also will pay $71,600 on the project.

Voters okay sales tax

EAST PRAIRIE — The one-cent sales tax proposal on Tuesday's city election ballot received approval by a margin of 110 votes in unofficial returns. Voting for the proposal were 301 to 191 votes against.

Incumbent Jones Hedge was re-elected to a two-year term on the City Council with 383 votes to 91 voters for Mrs. Katie Brown. Hedge was elected to fill the unexpired term of Wayne Presson, who resigned from the council in October of 1974.

Elected to three-year terms on the council were incumbent LaWanda Douglas with 324 votes and Hunt Wellborn with 356 votes. Both were unopposed.

ANNISTON

Incumbent Mayor John Essary was re-elected Tuesday to a two-year term. Essary received 40 votes and his opponent Pete McClendon received 37 votes.

In ward one, Shirley Chambers and Harold Tatum were elected to two-year terms on the town board. Chambers received 20 votes and Tatum 17. The third candidate, Forest Petty received four votes.

In ward two incumbent John Blackwell was re-elected with 22 votes for a one-year term on the town board. Gary Whybard received eight votes and Henry Oliver did not receive any votes.

No candidates filed for the position of town collector. Receiving write-in votes were Victor Ahlfield, seven; Jeanne Thurman, six; Robert Thurman, two; and Betty Jackson, one.

BERTRAND

In the mayor's race Tuesday, incumbent Johnny Hooper was re-elected to a two-year term with 143 voters over 99 votes for his opponent Arthur "Jack" Powell.

In ward one, incumbent alderman Jim Jones was re-elected to a two-year term with 56 votes. John W. Syre received 31 votes.

In ward two, incumbent Bill Darby was re-elected to a two-year term with 75 votes. His opponent Lucian Black tallied 57 votes.

WYATT

Candidates for two-year terms on the town board were unopposed in Tuesday's election.

Prince Moxley received 36 votes and a write-in candidate, Clifton Brumley received eight votes for alderman of ward one.

In ward two, G. A. Banks

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East Prairie Future Farmers of America host Area 12 awards banquet. Turn to ... page 7.

The Missouri Senate death penalty bill is expected to pass in the House of Representatives. For the story, turn to ... page 10.

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Showers and thunderstorms ending this evening and decreasing cloudiness and colder tonight. Partly cloudy and cool Thursday. Winds tonight northerly 10-18 m.p.h. Lows tonight upper 30s and highs Thursday 45-50. Precipitation this evening 40 per cent and 10 per cent tonight and Thursday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy Friday through Sunday with warming during the weekend. Little or no precipitation expected during the period. Low temperatures in the 40s and highs in the 50s on Friday, 60s on Saturday and near 70 on Sunday.

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. today were 65 and 40 degrees.

Sunset today .....7:21 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow ...6:42 a.m.
Moonrise tomorrow..2:02 a.m.
Last Quarter .....April 3

The constellation Corona Borealis is now high in the eastern sky at midnight. Also called "Ariadne's Crown, its brighter stars form an almost perfect semicircle.

5 mayors elected in New Madrid

NEW MADRID — Voters in city elections in New Madrid County Tuesday elected new mayors in Parma, Morehouse and Portageville and returned incumbent mayors in Matthews and Tallapoosa. The mayor of the village of Catron will be chosen from the newly-elected five member board of trustees.

PARMA

Incumbent Mayor Randall Ramsey was defeated in his bid for a sixth term by James V. Robinson, who tallied 247 votes to 175 votes cast for Ramsey. Gary Cravens a third candidate in the race collected 2 votes.

W. C. "Dub" Cox gained the ward one alderman seat over incumbent A. B. Parker by a vote of 62 to 55.

Ivan Pulling, incumbent alderman in ward two, was unseated by Leslie Durham, who tallied 188 votes to 86 for Pulling. Charles Mitchell received 10 votes in his bid for the post.

In a six-way race for police judge, incumbent John Teeters received 202 votes to be re-elected. Other candidates and votes polled include Paul "Bud" Cunninghm, 134; Ernest Perry, 22; Milton Thatch, 60; Alton Eugene Jackson, 9; and Roger Jaynes, 11.

Incumbent Marshal Larry Gee received 236 votes over his oppoinent, Alvin Curtin Hunt, who polled 178 ballots.

Flora Garrard was re-elected city collector by 276 votes over Betty Stanley, who received 132 votes.

MOREHOUSE

James M. Kindle defeated incumbent Mayor Marlin "Moe" Swinger by a 99-vote majority. Kindle totaled 215 votes and Swinger 116.

Incumbent City Clerk and Collector Manuel Jack Taylor regained his post by a narrow 11-vote margin over opponent Edward Kinder. Taylor tallied 174 votes and Kinder 163.

Petre Leija was elected ward one alderman by a vote of 137 over Willie F. "Sonny" Cagle who received 67 votes.

Re-elected without opposition were Marshal L. M. "Slim" Rogers, 261 votes; Ward Two Alderman Gene Cagle, 91 votes; and Police Judge W. E. "Bill" Morgan, 271 votes.

PORTAVEVILLE

Don Rone Jr. was elected mayor by a majority of 91 votes over Bob Carlisle. Rone who succeeds Barry Richardson received 643 votes and 552 ballots were cast for Carlisle.

Veteran Police Chief Joe Moore was returned to office for his 11th two-year term by a whopping 740 vote plurality over Vester Robinson. Moore polled 960 votes and Robinson 220.

Ward One Alderman Benny Goodman was re-elected to a new two-year term over Carroll LeSieur. Goodman tallied 287 votes and Le Sieur 198 votes.

Patrick McCrate received 414 votes over Joe Simmons who tallied 249 votes to win the ward two alderman seat that had been held by Rone.

Incumbent collector Margaret DeRousse Phillips, who was unopposed, received 1,039 votes.

TALLAPOOSA

Voters approved an annexation proposal and also decided to change from a village classification to a fourth class city classification. Both issues required a simple majority for passage. The annexation proposition to add approximately 23 acres to the town was favored by 86 voters to 6 against; and the classification change received 86 votes in favor to 7 against.

In a three-man contest for marshal, incumbent Carl Deprow was re-elected over Charles Conner and Clarencer Isbell. Deprow tallied 70, votes; Conner, 15 and Isbell, 10.

Two trustee seats were filled by incumbent Orbey Taylor, who polled 76 votes and Otto Babb, who tallied 73 votes over a third candidate, Jerry Meadows, who gathered 31 votes.

Leo Deprow, unopposed for re-election as mayor, received 83 votes.

MATTHEWS

Mrs. A. W. Wagley, outdistanced three opponents to be re-elected mayor for a second term. She received 134 votes to 47 votes for Charles "Shorty" Rhodes; 11 votes for Howard Burns and Tommy Grayam trailed with 1 vote.

Jeffrey DeLong squeaked into a two-year term as ward two alderman by one vote over Jimmie Burch. DeLong tallied 60 votes to 59 for Burch and a third candidate, Larry Grimes, pooled two votes.

Clyde Conley polled 93 votes to gain a one-year term as ward two alderman over Herman Dunning, who received 25 votes.

Carl Shelby, who was unopposed for a two-year term as ward one alderman, received 54 votes.

NEW MADRID

Incumbent Alderman in wards one and three were returned to office and an unopposed candidate was elected as a new alderman in ward two.

William "Bill" Boyd received 119 votes to be re-elected ward one alderman over Frank E. Masterson, who tallied 82 votes.

John A. Huner, incumbent

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Wednesday, April 2 — 1895, Peter Pooper picks a peep of pippered peckles.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

What has become of the old fashioned man the back of whose pants reminded you of the loose part of an elephant hide?

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Once upon a time when the most anybody paid in Social Security taxes was $30 a year, there wasn't much point in arguing whether that tax or the Federal income tax got first crack at the weekly paycheck.

There's a lot more point, or bite, in the argument in 1975, according to Tax Foundation, Inc.

This year the maximum Social Security tax will be $825 on the first $14,100 of income. At that level, the question of which tax falls on which tax starts to involve a double tax of $93 or more.

For example, take a married man with two children earning exactly $14,100. His Federal income tax, if it were figured on the amount left after his $825 Social Security tax has been withheld, would be $154 less. His Social Security tax, if it were based on income remaining after the Federal income tax is withheld, would be $93 less.

The Federal government, of course, doesn't see things quite that way in applying both taxes to the same income. It has always taxed as "income" the employe's share of the Social Security tax. One rationale for this is that SS retirement benefits are far greater, because of the employer matching contribution, than the employe's SS tax payments, and the benefits are not taxed.

It is no wonder the American taxpayers are feeling like plucked geese -- and increasingly suspicious of Congress who writes the taxing laws.

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GET A HORSE

In these uncertain economic times, where are the people who have money investing it? In gold, oil, stocks and bonds and old socks?

All of these, no doubt. But a lot of people trying to stay ahead in the race with inflation are putting their money on horses, says the Keeneland Assn., which sells thoroughbreds.

The average price paid for a thoroughbred race horse at the association's summer horse sale at Lexington, Ky., last year was $53,489. While the initial investment is great, the potential returns are even greater.

For example, Canonero II, a thoroughbred bought for only $1,200, earned more than $360,000 in a brief racing career — returning an incredible 30,000 per cent profit to his owners. He was then sold for $1.5 million for stud purposes.

Another $32,000 Keeneland purchase, a filly named Chris Evert, has earned $679,475 in her three-year racing career. This is $300,000 more than the famed tennis star of that name has earned during the same period.

Have a few tens of thousands of idle dollars you don't know what to do with? See a man about a horse. If the energy situation gets much worse, you can always use it for transportation.

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A small boy took his teacher half an apple, "I ate mine on the way to school, and half of yours," he confessed.

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THE TAXMAN COMETH

With the first North Sea oil not expected to flow ashore for another year, hard-pressed Britain is already counting its royalties.

The government has announced its intention of not only imposing a revenue tax on petroleum production but of acquiring a 51 per cent interest in all discoveries — with the predictable result that many oil companies, currently in a race with sharply rising costs due to inflation, are seriously reconsidering their investment programs.

Politicians and economists of all ideological stripes are agreed that Britain's future hinges on North Sea oil, the production of which is already a year behind schedule.

"Our new offshore oil industry is at a make-or-break state of affairs, and indeed we are in a make-or-break state in our nation's history," says Patrick Kenkin, Conservative member of Parliament.

"There is no doubt at all that the prospect of substantial independence from imports of oil at the end of this decade is the one factor which has enabled our economy to survive."

One major company, however, has warned that some fields might never be developed if taxes are too high.

Britain might remember the man who killed the goose that laid the golden egg. That greedy fellow at least waited until the animal had begun producing.

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Bill Hanna says it's easy to get kids to look up to you — just walk in and turn off their TV sets.

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Many years ago a very nice Sikeston man was natural-born drunkard. He probably inherited it from some ancestor he had never seen. About twice a year he could stand sobriety no longer, and went on a toot. He gave his wife fair warning, and she got ready for it. He hired a man to come in and sit with him, laugh at his jokes, listen to his boasts of how smart he was, and keep him from burning the house down and running away. At the end of four or five days he sobered up and returned to business down town, explaining that he had had a "slight bilious attack." If a man cannot avoid getting drunk, this is the way to do it. The biggest idiot is the drunkard who reels about the streets adverrtising his weakness.

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Why do typewriter ribbons go on so easily the wrong way too?

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Frank Ferrell, Mayor of Sikeston says many a man who claims to be selfmade owes it all to a wife who made him work regularly.

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Everyone wanted to participate. Such was the spirit of loyalty to Oklahoma City.

Edward King Gaylord

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In a great many cases the Something borrowed" at a wedding is what it cost the bride's father to finance the whole thing.

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"Life is simply a continuing struggle to keep money coming in and teeth and hair from falling out."

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TOMORROW

APRIL 3 - THURSDAY

..**NAFELS PILGRIMAGE.** Apr. 3. Switzerland (Canton Glarus) Commemoration of the Battle of Nafels, fought on Apr. 9, 1388. Observed annually on first Thursday in April, with processions, prayers, sermon and a reading out of the names of those killed in the battle.

WASHINGTON IRVING's BIRTHDAY. Apr. 3. American author, born New York City, Apr 3, 1783. Died Tarryton, N. Y. Nov 28, 1859.

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ROBERT VAUGHN

Jay Peerless Bixby, freelance traffic coordinator for the railroads , was in Sikeston recently and I got a chance to interview him.

"Why did you pick Sikeston to visit?" I asked.

"We've been getting some unjustifiable complaints that our trains are causing traffic congestion in your city," he answered. "I'm here to conduct an impartial investigation and show that the complaints are groundless."

"I don't know." I said. "I can remember an incident last Saturday where one train held up traffic for nearly fifteen minutes."

"Are you talking about the crossing at Northwest Street?" Jay Peerless Bixby asked.

"Well, yes," I answered. "Traffic was stacked up for several blocks there, and the train stretched across three crossings."

"That's just an example of what I mean by unjust accusations," Bixby answered. "I've looked into that, and there is absolutely no complaint there."

"No?"

"None," Bixby replied. "That train crew was on their lunch break. Their Union specifically allows twenty minutes for lunch. Actually the crew should be commended, they took only fourteen minutes."

"But the train was stretched across the roads while they ate lunch," I protested.

"Perfectly within their rights, as long as they log the time in and out," Bixby replied.

I was beginning to grow a little exasperated, so I protested rather vehemently that something should be done.

"Aha!" Bixby said, smiling broadly. "That's what I'm here for. I've worked out an arrangement whereby all traffic congestion can be relieved, if the good citizens of Sikeston would follow a simple plan of traffic control."

"I'm sure they would," I said. "I've heard several people complain about the trains. I know they would appreciate a reasonable approach to the problem."

"This will solve it," Bixby said, and he handed me the following outline for traffic control:

A. All red, green,yellow and blue cars between the years 1970 and present, will back across the railroad tracks with lights on and horn honking. If the car is a four door, the right rear door will be open. If the car is a two door, the trunk will have a piece of red ribbon attached to it.

B. Older model cars of other colors may cross the tracks in forward gear, provided such crossing is preceded by a traffic officer bearing one lantern of green and one of fucia. Both rear doors will be open on four door cars, while on two door cars three trading stamps will be pasted two inches above the right lower cornerof the left rear window.

C. In the event a vehicle doesn't fall under either category listed above, the air will be let out of the tires and a paperbag will be affixed to the radio aerial.

D. If at any time a rehicle approaches a railroad crossing at the same time as a train, both shall stop and neither shallproceed until the other has gone.

One economic principle they don't teach in school is the law of double disappearance. When the price of anything goes out of sight, the shortage disapperas.

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Burglar: "The police are coming. Quick, jump out the window!"

Accomplice: "But we're on the thirteenth flor."

Burglar: "This is no time to be superstitious."

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The money saved for a rainy day now buys a smaller umbrella.

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The answer to inflation must be increased production. That is why rabbit fur is cheaper than mink.

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BUSINESS IS ON
THE RIGHT TRACK,
ACCORDING TO
CONSUMER ADVOCATES

Northwestern National Life Insurance Company reports that 1974 may well be known as the year of a great narrowing of the gap between business and the consumer.

The sources are leaders of national consumer advocacy groups. This encourageing estimate of the status of business-consumer relations was the advocates when the Family Economics Bureau of Northwestern asked: "What, if anything, is American business doing right?"

The results of a survey published in the September-October issue of the Harvard Business Review also confirms the feeling of consumer advocates that business is now coming to terms with consumers. The survey revealed a new development in the magazine's decade- long coverage of consumerism - "... a strong majority of executives now consider consumerism a positive force..."

Another surprise is the finding by HBR that business leaders are turning thumbs down on that old tenet of business philosophy, "caveat emptor"- "let the buyer beware." Now they are saying "caveat venditor"- " "let the seller beware."

Virginia Knauer, who is one of the most influential consumer advocates as Special Assistant to the President for Consumer Affairs, confirms a change in the attitudes of businessmen. "They definitely have more positive attitudes. They are more receptive to ideas from consumers," she says.

The home appliance industry is listening to consumers- and acting on suggestions through its Major Appliance consumer Action Panel. College professors and representatives of consumer organizations serve on the panel without pay. Virtually all the panel-s major recommendations for reforms have been accepted.

The Furniture Industry Consumer Advisory Panel serves the same function. The carpet and rug industry has a complaint-handling organization, too, and Whirlpool and United Van Lines have complaint systems which can be reached by calling toll-free numbers.

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LISTEN WITHOUT
PREJUDICE

Unlike the political statesman, the business statesman has little access to the public forum. His views often reach the public in a trickle- down process of news reporting that disregards much of what is said because of the businessman's alleged self-interest.

Mr. Hohn E. Swearingen, chairman of the board of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), in an Address, reviewed the entire specturm of the energy shortage, its causes and solutions. His message is much the same as has been broadcast by oil industry spokesmen for years -- that the energy gap has been a long time coming because of many factors including government policies and over-zealous environmentialism. He declares, "More often than not, any attempt by the petroleum industry to try to call attention to the unpleasant facts of life in regard to the growing gap between the nation's supply and demand for energy was written off as self-serving -- particularly since the only rational solutions we could see would lead to higher prices."

There are many immediate and long-range steps that must be taken to maintain adequate energy supplies. For the public, the only way to deal with the energy problem is tolisten with an open mind to those who know the energy business -- the business statesmen whose self- interest includes U. S. national security and the well-being of over 200 million U. S. citizens.

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BETCHA DIDN'T KNOW

... Imminent is about 60 seconds - as in "I'll be with you imminent!"

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It's been noted that allyou have to do to get the world to beat a path to your dooor is to decideyou want to take a nap.

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A camel is what a horse would look like if it were put together by a committee.

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LESSON IN
WORD VALUES

The Lord's Prayer has 56 words.

Lincoln's Gettyburg Address - 266 words.

The Ten Commandments - 297 words.

The Declaration of Independence - 300 words

A recent U. S. Government order concerning cabbage pri ces contained 26,911 words!

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CITIES ON THE
FEDERAL DOLE

..Concern is expressed from time to time that we are creating a society of welfare addicts - - people who spend their lives on the public dole and whose children repeat the pattern.

The fact is that there is much more danger of our local governments becoming so accustomed to sucking on the bounteous federal teat that they will never be able to wean themselves. Only in this case we don't call it welfare but "revenue sharing," "Impact Cities" aid or a host of other names for a host of other federal programs.

Cleveland, the nation's 10th most populous city, is a prime example.

It has reached the point where Cleveland has become so dependent upon federal (and to a lesser degree, state) financial assistance that it would be completely bankrupt without it.

The city's 1975 budget is projected at $126 million. But local income and property taxes are expected to bring in only $74.9 million, which is $1.5 million short of the amount needed just to run the police department.

The difference of some $51.1 million will be made up with federal and state grants and subsidies, which in the past two years have totaled $143.5 million and $25 million respectively.

"If I were not able to get continued federal funds, this would be a one- department government - safety," says Mayor Ralph J. Perk. "There would be no money for recreation, health services, parks, rubbish collection or anything else."

It's said that Perk has carried the cup to Washington so many times he's worn a path.

Meanwhile, property taxes in Cleveland have been permitted to decline by $51 million and last November voters, perhaps having learned that the more they pay, the less service they get, turned down an income tax increase that would have added $16 million to the city's coffers.

Perk is not worried about the city's increasing addiction to the federal dollar. The money, he says, "belongs to the people."

Cleveland may differ from other American cities only in the scale of its dependency on "the people's money." But if this city,, with its strong industrial and commercial base, can't afford to govern itself, what hope is there for any city?

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Sign on a lawn: "DOGS - beware of vicious owner"

SIGN OF THE TIMES

The colleges and universities are having a hard time attracting enough students to fill their classrooms last fall. Some have even been driven to the practice of sending out recruiters to talk youths into higher education.

However, one college has just the opposite problem. It had more than 4,000 applicants who are competing for enrollment. Only 47 of them will be accepted.

The institution of learning that is so successfully bucking the trend in higher education is Ringling Bros. Clown College. You are free to draw your own editorial conclusion on what this says about our current state of affairs.

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The most valuable gift you can give another is a good example.

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A good supervisor, someone once said, is a guy who can step on your toes without messing up your shine.

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MESSY MARCH

Up in Maine, we are told, March is referred to as the month of quagmires.

If that is true, then the Mid-South has more in common with Maine that we'd ever have guessed.

With the month more than half gone, about the kindest thing to be said of this March is that it is on the wane. We've had winds, sleet, a tough of snow, and rain, rain, rain. With the great Mississippi River right at our doorstop to take it all away, the ground water still cannot run off fast enough to empty the drains, the creeks, the puddles and pools. Anyone who hasn't had wet feet and the sniffles lately just has not been out-of-doors much.

It's all this inclemency, all this mushy mess, that makes those first signs of spring so welcome. And it is consoling, as you look closely at the tips of the tree limbs, to see the budding life that is waiting , like us, for March to end.

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EARLY TO BED

The little city boy was spending his first night on a farm. The next morning, he was awakened much earlier than usual by the activity around him. As he rubbed the sleep out of his eyes, he remarked, "It doesn't take long to stay here all night, does it?"

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Life was a business without profits until Jesus replaced me as Chairman of the Board.

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Maturity begins when we're content to feel we're right about something without feeling the necessity to prove someone else wrong.

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Is the Ambassador working for U.S. or for South Vietnam?

By JACK ANDERSON
with
Les Whitten

WASHINGTON — It's difficult to determine whether Graham Martin, the American ambassador to South Vietnam, is working for the United States or for Gen. Nguyen Van Thieu's government.

The ascerbic Martin, whose undiplomatic outbursts have become legendary, has been in constant hot water with Congress for his staunch defense of the Thieu regime.

One of his cables to the State Department, for example , suggested it would be the "height of folly" to give "an honest and detailed answer" to questions from Sen. Ted Kennedy, D-Mass., about foreign aid.

We have now obtained Martin's cables on the issue of political prisoners. He received instructions ,which went out to embassies around the world, to determine whether local leaders had been jailed for "political purposes."

Characteristically, Martin accepted as gospel the South Vietnamese government's denials that it held any political prisoners. Yet the State Department sepecifically instructed him not to go to his host government for the prisoner information.

Cabled Martin: "The GVN (Government of Vietnam) has for over a year been the target of a well coordinated campaign to tar it with the political prisoner brush.

"The central theme, ceaselessly repeated in the press and other publiocations circulating in the United States and Western Europe is that the GVN is detaining 200,000 persons solely for their opposition to the Thieu administration. The charge is not true."

How did he know? He had asked the Thieu government, which had told him so. Continued Martin:

"The embassy has received scores of letters from Members of Congress, from U.S. citizens and from organizations like Amnesty International demanding release of alleged political prisoners. In many cases, the correspondents name the prisoner in question. The embassy has checked many of theses names with the Ministry of Interior. We have yet to find a documented case of a 'political prisoner.'"

Yet remarkably, visiting U.S. lawmakers have succeeded in locating several prisoners who have been jailed and tortured for opposing Thieu. Indeed, Martin tried to obstruct the legislators from getting the truth about the prisoners.

For example, three House members -- Don Fraser, D-Minn., Bella Abzug, D.-N.Y., and Millicent Fenwick, R.-N.J., -- interviewed a prisoner named Huynh Tan Mam who had been thrown in the slammer for allegedly conspiring with Communists. He had been tortured so badly that he had to be hauled into court on a stretcher.

Mam swore to the Americans that he was not guilty of the charges against him. He had been beaten badly, he said, in the presence of South Vietnamese officials. As the three legislators started to leave, Mam slipped them a letter written in blood.

A Fraser aide, Robert Boettcher, spoke with a girl who said she had been picked up "at random" from a marketplace crowd and had been imprisoned for eight months. She had been accused of being a Communist and had been tortured.

Another former political prisoner told Boettcher he had been "jabbed with sharp bamboo sticks" and had been smeared with "human excrement" while he was penned up.

During a meeting with President Thieu, Congressman Fraser requested permission to visit the 18 journalists who were recently jailed. He wanted to see them in private, he said, without any government officials present.

Thieu hemmed and hawed, but Ambassador Martin agreed to make the arrangements. But when Fraser showed up at police headquarters, he was given three ground rules:

1. He was not to discuss controversial issues with the prisoners; 2. He could ask them only for their names, dates of birth and state of health; and 3. He would be accompanied by government officials.

Fraser was so incensed, according to eye witnesses, that he "got red in the face" and dispatched an aide to contact Graham Martin. Back came the aide with word that Martin hadn't even bothered to make any arrangements.

The Saigon embassy has assured the State Department, by telegram, meanwhile, that denunciation of the Thieu regieme in print "is solid evidence that Saigon press continues to exercise very substantial measure of press freedom."

WIDOW VS. COMPUTER: An 88-year-old widow, who was about to lose all her property in a battle with an Internal Revenue Service computer, has appealed to us for help.

The computer insists that Mrs. Helen M. Loan, one of the original settlers of Lake Soap, Wash., owes a tax debt that, in fact, she has paid.

It started out as a $27,879.54 estate tax, which was paid by check on Oct. 16, 1974. But the IR S computer refused to take notice of the check and continued to dun her. Each time, penalties were added until the debt reached $29,198.79.

Finally, a cryptic notice warned that the IRS would confiscate her property and life savings "with no further notice to you" unless she paid up within 10 days.

An IRS spokesman, Dick Whiteman, admitted an error had been made and attributed the foul-up to "misdirected correspondence." He assured us that the "will do something to resolve this problem immediately."

Inside Labor

By Victor Riesel

Inside White House:
Ford-Rockfeller Woos
That Labor 'Party'

WASHINGTON--There are those in the influential White House watchers circle who observe closely the game of musical tables. Who sits with whom--and where--are the sought-after clues in the ceaseless search for the "most inflential man" in the presidential milieu.

Some of the specialists who use this technique, rather than accepting the conclusions of news features on more flashy types, believe the most influential man in the White Houe today and closest to the President is his 60-year-old former law partner, Philip Buchen.

Officially the self-effacing Mr. Buchen is counsel to the President. He was appointed less than a week after Mr. Ford was sworn in.

Recently Bucen has cropped up in the White House labor operation. This is significant because Mr. Ford and Vice President Rockefeller have been wooing union chiefs with a political passion.

There was, for example, the now much discussed "F Street Club" dinner on March 19. It was thrown by three former Secretaries of Labor and Harvard president Derek Bok. It was a small soiree. The President relaxed. He wandered through the group, hopped the four tables and made certain Phil Buchen met the crowd (about 50 persons). There was much gaiety, bon mots, better food and small talk amongst labor's biggest men. Among the union chiefs, there were only two old friends of the President--the Seafarers' Paul Hall and Teamsters' chief Frank Fitzsimmons. There was no dais. But at one table sat the President, the four hosts, AFL-CIO president George Many, the guest of honor (new Secretary of Labor John Dunlop)--and Phil Buchen.

This was odd. Buchen has not been known to mix with the labor leaders. His presence at the premier table surprised some of the other politically sophisticated guests.

In that small gathering no one could be at a "bad" table. But sitting with others was presidential assistant Bill Seidman, White House economic coordinator, who had been in close contact with some labor leaders in recent months. All tables were equal. But he wasn't at the table more equal than the others. One of the surprised guests, in Sherlock Holmes fashion, added to these items still another clue. Earlier that day Fitzsimmons had visited with President Ford in the White House for about a half hour. They talked, among other thngs, about trucking and weights and transportation and golf. Fitz had gone into the Oval Office with Dunlop--and the virtually unknown new Domestic Affairs Council executive director, Jim Cannon. Just the four of them.

The 56-year-old Cannon is Vice President Rockefeller's hand-picked man to run the council which soon enough will develop into a powerful national force. It can cut across cabinet jurisdictions. It will make contact with governors and mayors everywhere. It will concentrate on urban affairs. It will influence the flow of billions of dollars.

And the invitation to Fitz to drop in on the President had come from Buchen. This is also odd. Fitz has known Bill Seidmn for many years. The Seidman accounting firm had been among the earliest auditors, perhaps the first, of the Teamsters' huge Central State Pension Fund.

Thus it appeared to some that the White House was setting itself up for the national election season. True, the Ford-Rockefeller team has labor's very own respected favorite professor, John T. Dunlop, as the unions' input into the administration. But Dunlop must be gauged correctly. As someone remarked the night of the party, "It is said that Dunlop is coldly calculating. That's not true. He is warmly calculating."

Dunlop will stay with the economics of it,bucking Secretary of the Treasury Bill Simon and tight money Federal Reserve chairman Arthur Burns. Dunlop won't move out of his jurisdiction. He's too wise to politick in this arena and atmosphere. Inside labor, yes. Outside, no.

Thus President Ford needs a parallel operation with new top-level liaison men--Phil Buchen for Ford and Jim Cannon for Rockefeller.

It won't be easy. George Meany takes a lot of wooing. I do believe that because of the disrepair of the Democratic and Republican party organizations, Meany and his own "party," the Committee on Political Education (COPE -AFL- CIO) will be the balance of power in November '76.

And just last Thursday Meany disclosed how tough he can get. He clobbered Mr Ford, Secretary Kissinger and the White House with a slasing attack on the administration's foreign policy.

Calling for a complete reassessment of this policy, Meany charged it has " produced disillusionment everywhere and success nowhere" and that the policy of detente is "in ruins.the wreckage is global."

This was part of a long denunciation. So the President--personally and through his trusted Phil Buchen--and Rockefeller are on the move. They sure want supprt of that labor "party" if possible.

Ward one alderman re-elected

BENTON--Incumbent Jim Wilhelm won re-election as ward one alderman in the only race for city office during Tuesday's city elections. Wilhelm polled 47 votes compared to the 26 received by challenger David Mack. Jack Thorne, a write-in candidate, received three votes.

Citizens cast many write-in votes for candidates of other city offices as well. Incumbent Monroe Bollinger, the only announced candidate for the office of mayor, won re-election with 90 votes.

Write-in candidates for the office of mayor included John Allen, who received four votes; Tom Stroup, who received one vote; and Jon Mack, who received one vote.

Incumbent Mary Halter, running without opposition, won re-election to the office of city collector with 102 votes. Mary Wilhelm received one vote as a write-in candidate.

Incumbent Clayton Hasenkemp, running without opposition for the office of ward two alderman, won re-election with 29 votes. Richard McIntosh received one vote as a write-in candidate.

There were no announced candidates running for the offices of police judge and city marshal. Clarence Cannon received 12 write-in votes for police judge, winning the position.

Other write-in candidates for the office were Joe Stuckey, who received two votes; Joe Thompson who received two votes; and Walter Ziegler, Wesley Urhahn, John Seabaugh and Donnie Bollinger, who received one vote each.

Write-in candidate Joe Thompson was elected city marshall with 25 votes. Other write-in candidates for the position included Larry Adams, Henry Urhahn, David Mack and Bobbie Bollinger, who each received one vote.

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Phillips, Taylor elected

MORLEY--No candidates filed for the alderman positions in each of the two wards of the city, but voters filled the two positions by write-in votes in Tuesday's city election.

In ward one, Vester Phillips won the alderman position with 11 write in votes and in ward two C.B. Taylor won the alderman position with seven write-in votes.

Haywood City elects trustees

HAYWOOD CITY--Eddie Walton, Percy White and Bryant Moore were elected trustees in Tuesday's village elections, defeating Sedel Lester and Lee Hamilton.

Walton and White were the top vote getters, gathering 37 each. Moore received 27.

Lester received 16 votes and Hamilton tallied 15.

Walton is to serve a two-year term and White and Moore will each serve a one-year term.

Johnson, Watkins elected

MORLEY--Incumbents Jimmie G. Johnson and Louis S. Watkins, running without opposition, won re-election to the Scott County Central R-5 school board in Tuesday's school elections.

Johnson received 211 votes and Watkins received 222 votes. Both will serve for three-year terms.

Hilleman top vote getter

SCOTT CITY--Albert Hillemann and Joy Venable polled 387 votes and 307 votes respectively to win the two positons on the Illmo-Scott City R-1 school board in Tuesday's school elections.

David Gene Thompson also received 214 votes, Dean Little received 193 and Dorris O. Payne received 134.

3 elected by write-in votes

VANDUSER--Despite the lack of announced candidates, the three trustee positions were filled by write-in votes in Tuesday's village elections.

Elected trustees were Milburn McClain with 43 write-in votes, Kenneth Dohogne with 37 write-in votes and Billy Renagel with 29 write-in votes.

No person had officially filed for the offices.

Commerce elects trustees

COMMERCE--Incumbents Ann Huck, Clyde Reed, Albert Vinson and B.R. Bom, running without opposition, were re-elected as village trustees in Tuesday's election.

Reed was the top votegetter with 31. Bom came in second with 29 votes. Mrs. Huck received 26 and Vinson 25.

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Jaycees elect officers

Steve Taylor, left, was elected president of the Sikeston Jaycees Tuesday night at the Country Club. Other officers elected are from left, George Gilmore, first vice president; Ed Aldrich, second vice president; Ned Matthews, treasurer; David Boyer, secretary; and David Byrd and Bill Wellborn, state delegates, Jackson Clay Hunter and Clayton Vandivort were also elected state delegates.

Former alderman is elected mayor

SCOTT CITY — James Cauble, former ward four alderman, was elected mayorby a 95-vote margin over incumbent Clifford Campbell in Tuesday's city elections. Cauble received 328 votes compared to Campbell's 233.

In the race for city collector, incumbent Mrs. Virginia Richardson won re-election with 307 votes, compared to 239 cast for her challenger, Mrs. Mary Ann Weisenborn.

John Hockersmith won the position of ward two alderman in the only other race for city office. He received 64 votes, compared to the 27 tallied by Richard Hink. John Schlenker also received four votes as a write-in candidate.

Incumbent Wesley Holdcroft, running without opposition, was re-elected ward one alderman with 87 votes.

Marvin Arnold, incumbent ward three alderman, was re-elected without opposition, receiving 184 votes.

Incumbent R. G. Hanschen, unopposed was re-elected ward four alderman with 128 votes.

Incumbent police judge H. Wes Page, unopposed was re-elected with 476 votes.

400,000 have not filed taxes

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — About 369,000 state income tax refunds already have been mailed to taxpayers, but more than 400,000 Missourians still have not filed their returns due April 15, the director of the Division of Taxation and Collection said Tuesday.

A. Gerald Reiss said his office expects to handle 1.1 million returns this year, and only 691,000 have been received.

The rate of refunds already mailed back to taxpayers this year far exceeds this time last year, when only 94,500 had been returned, he noted.

About 200 tax returns for last year still have not been sent back to taxpayers.

Reiss attributed this year's comparative success so far to a reduction of the non-tax return work load in his office, allowing full attention to be given to the returns.

He refused to guess when all the returns might be processed and mailed back this year.

Chaffee elects 3 board members

CHAFFEE — Mrs. Betty Montgomery and Donald E. Vance polled 532 votes and 354 votes respectively to win two positions on the Chaffee R-2 school board in Tuesday's school elections.

Also running for the positions, but losing, were Mrs. Siddie Swain who received 301 votes; James Williams, 126; and A. W. Phegley, 87.

Winning a one-year unexpired term was William Cannon with 385 votes, compared to the 324 votes received by Mrs. Edna Grant.

Vanduser race close

VANDUSER — Myriel Burton, Terry Burton and Bill Partin won the three aldermanic positions in an extremely close race during Tuesday's city elections. Six candidates were running for the three positions, but the vote spread was only five votes.

Myriel Buerton received the greatest number of votes with 56; Terry Burton received 54; and Partin, an incumbent, received 55.

Incumbent Elve Johnson tallied 53 votes as did Donald Drew. Ina Mae Glueck, also an incumbent, received 51.

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Hitt top vote getter

BENTON — Bob Laseter and incumbent Herman Hitt were elected to the Benton-Kelly R-4 School District in Tuesday's school elections. They were unopposed. Hitt received 297 votes and Laseter got 268.

2 trustee posts filled

DIEHLSTADT — Harold Presson received 53 votes and Ervin Thomann totaled 46 to win the two village trustee positions in Tuesday's village elections.

Arthur Romanouski received 25.

Hayti receives $107,400 grant

HAYTI — The Economic Development Administration of the Department of Commerce recently approved a $107,400 grant requested by Hayti to provide sewer facilities to a commercial and industrial site at the intersection of Interstate Highways 55 and 155.

Hayti is undertaking the project in connection with the area's long-range plans to create jobs for unemployed workers and to diversify its dependence on farming and forest-products industries for incomes, according to Wilmer D. Mizell, assistant secretary of commerce for economic development.

The city will add $71,600 to meet the $179,000 total cost of the project.

The Prayer

"I am the resurrection, and the life: he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die." (John 11:25-26)

PRAYER: Father, we would remember that Jesus told us that if we have faith nothing is impossible. May You always remind us that He conquered death. Help us to have faith in Him, turn to Him, even when life seems dead. Amen.

Oran voters defeat tax levy increase

ORAN — A proposed 40 cents per $100 tax levy increase for the Oran R-3 School District was defeated by voters in Tuesday's school elections. The vote was 198 for the 249 against.

The proposed levy was for school purposes, with 10 cents of the 40 cents per $100 to go into the teachers' fund and the other 30 cents of the increase to go into the incidental fund.

Had the increase been approved by the voters, it would have increased the tax rate for the sidtrict to $3.60 per $100 valuation.

Incumbents H. J. Todt and Robert Tetley were re-elected Tuesday to the school board, receiving 284 votes and 200 votes respectively.

Challengers James Vernon Smith received 195 votes, J. A. Tyler received 135 and Jimmie Henson received 87.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Third position filled by write-in

BLODGETT — Only two persons filed for three trustee positions, but the third position was filled by a write in vote in Tuesday's village elections.

Harvey Parker and Dean Riley, both announced candidates, received 24 and 22 votes respectively. The third person elected was W. A. Beggs, who received 19 write-in votes.

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For work

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"Spring-summer hair above all should be soft and touchable. Gone are the lacquered looks!" says Ms.. Cotter. "There is a big emphasis in spring- summer for romantic clothing that moves with the wearer. Likewise, any romantic hair fashions created to go with today's looks should also move with great and natural ease."

Ms. Cotter directed the creation of both short and mid-length hairstyles for the association's exclusive styling body - the official hair fashion committee. Stylists from throughout the country are reviewing the styles for their own interpretations.

For evening

Educational convention scheduled for April 11-12

BENTON - The National Association for the Education of Young Children (A.E.Y.C.) will hold its annual convention at Tan-Tar-A at Osage Beach April 11-12. The convention is open to all people interested in early childhood education.

Featured speaker of the two-day meeting will be Dr. Burton White, Harvard University of Cambridge, Mass., who will speak on "How Important Is Early Childhood Education?" Luncheon speaker will be Dr. Donald Clifton, director of Selection Research, Inc. of Lincoln, Nebr.

The convention opens Friday evening with a banquet. Registration will be the afternoon of April 11 and from 7 a.m. to 9 a.m., April 12.

The Windgate Building at Tan-Tar-A will be the site of a series of workshops on Saturday at 9:45 a.m. Those registering for the convention may choose from among 18 different workshops. Topics include religion and the young child, child abuse, learning disabilities, creative movement, creating with paper, and the law and the young child. Sessions will be one and one-half hour.

The National Association for the Education of Young Children tries to provide a medium for study, interpretation and improvement of the education and development of young children. Advancement and encouragement of this purpose is accomplished through state meetings such as this one. The Meramec affiliate which is sponsoring this convention will be joined by members of affiliate groups from St. Louis, Kansas City, Rolla, Springfield, Cape Girardeau, Monett and Joplin.

There will be a registration fee for the convention. Room reservations at Tan-Tar-A will include the banquet and luncheon tickets.

For further information or registration forms contact James Scheibe, 1305 R Truman Avenue, Rolla, Mo. 65401, at telephone number 314-364-8965 or local A.E.Y.C. members. The University of Missouri Extension Center will also provide additional information.

Ann Landers

Cheating husband makes wife sick

Dear Ann Landers: I've read many times your advice to women who discover their husbands are running around: "Wait it out."

After being married for more than 25 years I learned my husband is seeing a much younger woman. While I wait, how do I keep from losing my mind? How do I acquire an appetite so I can eat? How can I keep smiling in front of the children and other relatives when my heart is breaking? How do I hold back the tears until I'm alone so I can cry my eyes out? How do I drive thoughts of suicide out of my mind because I cannot face life without him?

And finally...how long does it take for him to come back?--Alone And Waiting

Dear Alone: First, how long have have you been waiting? A month? Six months, a year? Does he know YOU know about the other woman? Has he asked for a divorce? There are many unaswered questions in your letter.

This I can tell you: No man is worth killing yourself over. And you CAN face life without him. You'd have to ife he were hit by a truck.

You need counseling and I urge you to get it. The pent-up emotions you describe can make you physically ill if you don't find a release. Ventilation can be immensely helpful. Get going.

Dear Ann Landers: This is not a problem. It's a suggestion. After listening for years to women refer to themselves as "just a housewife" (always with a tone of apology, as if it's something to be ashamed of), I decided there should be a more dignified job)description which suggests status. The term I invented is "Domestic Engineer."

Will you please print my letter and get the word to America's homemakers? I am sick and tired of "just a housewife" and I'll bet a brand new vacuum sweeper that millions of others are, too.--Domestic Engineer Of Six

Dear Dome: "What's in a name? A rose by any other name would smell as sweet." But if you think "Domestic Engineer" smells better than "housewife," I'll buy it. Can't hurt. Might help. Thanks for writing.

Dear Ann Landers: This letter is a rebuttal to the one signed "Mrs. Nobody." She wrote about being "roundly snubbed" by a woman she'd been acquainted with for several years. They had even served on several committees together.

Your reply was that if the acquaintance is over 50, chances are the ol' eyes aren't as good as they once were and she walked right by without recognizing her.

Listen, Ann, maybe her eyes aren't so good, but her EARS should be O.K. I am over 50 and I can't see very well, but if someone says a pleasant "hello" I can't imigine walking right on without responding.

We have a few of those snobs in our town and everyone knows who they are. Nothing is wrong with their eyes or their ears, but plenty is wrong with their sense of importance. They just think they are too good to talk to ordinary people. Every community has its stuck-up ladies, so please, Ann, don't make excuses for them,"You Know Who You Are

Dear You Know: I'm sure you have a point, but such people are so beyond my comprehension that I have trouble acknowledging their existence. They are more to be pitied than censured.

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At Wit's Wnd

The spoiler busy in the bathroom

As Dante would have said (had he owned a TV set), "There is a special place in hell for a man who walks into the room during the last five minutes of a tense drama and asks, "So, what's happened so far?"

Someone mumbles, "It's almost over."

"What time did it start?" he asks.

"Fifty-five minutes ago."

"Is that Mildred Natwick?"

"No."

"It looks like Mildred Natwick. Why are the police circling the building?"

"The crazy in the blue jacket planted a bomb."

"Why would he a thing like that? Is this a rerun?"

"Please!"

"I think we're missing a special on the other channel."

"shhhhhhhh!"

"I don't know how you can watch this thing. It doesn't make any sense. I've been here three minutes and 15 people have flashed across the screen. It's like Mission Impossible. They're so busy screwing switch plates off the wall and crawling through heater ducts I never get the plot. Let me see what we're all missing on the other channel."

When the ugly mob regains control of the knob, the theme music is playing and the credits are rolling by. None of us will ever know if the bomb was deactivated on time.

When the next TV hour begins, the entire family summons the agitator who yells from the bathroom, "I'm busy."

With precisely five minutes left in the drama, he reappears and asks, "So what's this one all about?"

One of the viewers takes a deep breath, "It's about a dwarf who sells encyclopedias who killed his tall basketball star roommate with a frozen rack of lamb and the chief of police is about to eat the murder weapon but he is suspicious because the B is missing from every set of encyclopedias he sells, pointing out his bizarre hostility."

"Is that Mildred Natwick?"

"No, it's Peter Falk."

Sixty-five per cent of American families watch TV together. Violence has increased 33 per cent among American families. The former figure is about to decrease; the latter increase.

Dance students perform

Leah Belvin, 8, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Belvin of Matthews performed an acrobatic dance to "The Entertainer" at the March 28 Easter fashion parade sponsored by the Matthews Firetts in the high school gymnasium.

Matthews Firetts sponsored an Easter fashion parade March 28 in Matthews High School gymnasium. As entertainment, Sikeston dance students of Mrs. Patti Simmons of Parma performed "Squeaky, The Mouse." From left are Jill Miller, 106 Link Drive, Dawn Buchanan, Route Three, Kristi Hanor of East Prairie, Shawn Buchanan, Route Three, Joan Chegwidden, 731 Mimosa Drive, Laura Maddox, 320 Edmondson Drive, and Deneke Borders, 703 Hickory Drive.

Meat, poultry prices rise

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — Meat and poultry prices generally rose at the retail level last week while prices for most other food items fell, according to a weekly market-basket survey by the Missouri Farm Bureau.

Among beef cuts, the survey of 50 supermarkets across the state showed the average price of sirloin steak and ground beef were the only ones not increasing.

A pound of sirloin steak remained steady at $1.62 and ground beef fell a nickel to 69 cents a pound. But blade roast at 86 cents, arm roast at $1.08 and rib steak at $1.45 each rose four cents a pound while T-bone steak rose two cents to $1.76 a pound. Round steak was up eight cents a pound to $1.46.

A shank portion of ham was down nine cents a pound to 76 cents and a butt portion fell seven cents to 88 cents a pound. Pork blade roast was also off, dropping four cents to $1 a pound. But center cut pork chops were up a nickel to $1.55 a pound and pork steak was up two centsto $1.09 a pound.

Whole fryer chickens rose q penny to 51 cents a pound and cut up parts climbed three cents to 59 cents a pound.

A gallon of whole milk fell a penny to $1.46 while 2 per cent remained steady at $1.37.

The price for a dozen grade A eggs fell in all three categories with extra large down three cents to 75 cents, large off a penny to 72 cents and medium two cents lower to 65 cents.

A one and one half pound loaf of bread was down two cents to 60 cents, ten pounds of sugar fell 17 cents to $4.30, and ten pounds of red potatoes rose six cents to 95 cents.

Household hints

Whole chickens are several cents a pound less than cut-up fryers. Save by buying them whole and cutting them up yourself. (Hint: A sharp knife and a pair of kitchen shears makes this a cinch.)

Don't worry if your children eat wieners right from the package -- they're fully cooked when purchased -- and they make nutritious "in-between" as well as main meals.

Diabetes branch slates meeting

Delta Branch of the SeMo Diabetes Association will meet at 7 p.m., in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association meeting room.

To loosen milk ring in baby bottles, put one-half teaspoon baking soda in bottle and fill with water. Let stand for a few minutes. Soak nipples in soda solution. Rinse and sterilize as usual.

For additional women's news, turn to page 21.

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Bank official testifies he was given $7,500

KANSAS CITY (AP) — Rudolph E. "Doc Z" Zatezalo, testifying in the trial of Kansas City banker Alex Barket, said Tuesday he was given a $7,500 bonus for the explicit purpose of using the money for a political contribution.

Zatezalo said he was given the money while an assistant vice-president of the Civic Plaza National Bank. At the time Barket was president and chairman of the board of Civic Plaza. Zatezalo told the court he gave the $7,500 to Delton L. Houtchens, then Democratic state chairman, to give to the Hubert Humphrey presidential campaign on Oct. 14, 1968.

Barket is on trial on two separate indictments which charge him with misapplying bank funds in making two alleged illegal political contributions. The trial continues today.

One indictment refers to the $7,500 contribution allegedly made under the guise of a bonus to Zatezalo. The other is an alleged $300,000 contribution to the Regular Democrats during the 1970 Jackson County primary election in the guise of a loan.

Zatezalo testified he went to work for the bank in 1965 after Houtchens got him the job. He said he had no previous experience in banking, and that he became acquainted with Houtchens while a chiropractor in Clinton, Mo. He said he became a fund raiser for the Democratic party when Houtchens became state chairman.

On direct questioning by Robert Schneider, an assistant U.S. attorney, Zatezalo testified that the $7,500 contribution was discussed Oct. 14, 1968 at a meeting attended by himself, Barket and Houtchens.

Lankford elected mayor

CHAFFEE--Les D. Lankford barely defeated Robert H. Capshaw by 14 votes for the office of mayor in Tuesday's city elections. Lankford received 395 votes and Capshaw received 381.

Claude Curtis won the ward one alderman race with 73 votes, defeating incumbent Carlos Crump, who received 51 votes. Another candidate, D.R. Boulware received eight votes.

E.E. McConnell Jr. won the ward two alderman race by a two-to-one margin over Tom Hope. McConnell received 105 votes and Hope received 52. A third candidate, George F. Stone, received 37 votes.

James R. Delezene was runnng without opposition for the position of ward three alderman. He received 114 votes.

Bill Whistler was elected as alderman from ward four with 98 votes, with Glen Hinkenbein receiving 88 and Bill Hagan receiving 82.

Ronald Moyers won the unexpired term of alderman from ward four with 148 votes, compared to the 113 received by Jessie H. Gettings.

Running unopposed were Edna Murphy for treasurer, who received 633 votes; William G. Vickery for police judge; who received 575 ; Charles Cunningham for collector, who received 648; and Joe Perry Rice III for city attorney, who received 633.

Some people believe that dreaming of a bright burning candle means you will receive a letter from your love.

Embezzlement charges filed

BLOOMFIELD--Embezzlement charges were filed last week against former Bernie Chief of Police Vernon Cornelison, according to Stoddard County Prosecuting Attorney Phillip Ayers.

Cornelison, 41, is charged with taking bond money in the amount of $125. The money, which was paid on Oct. 20, 1973 by Jess Bennett for the release of Terry DeJournett, has not been accounted for. The shortage was discovered in a recent audit.

Cornelison served as Bernie Chief of Police for seven years before resigning last May.

A warrant for Cornelison has been issued but he is believed to be out of the state.

Owens, French top vote getters in Charleston

CHARLESTON--Two directors were elected Tuesday in the school election for three-year terms.

William A. "Bill" Owens was elected with 728 votes, followed by Jim French with 662 votes from a slate of six candidates.

Mrs. Dorothy D. Barrett was third in the race, receiving 548 votes, followed by incumbent candidate Norbert Rolwing, who tallied 502 votes. Fifth in the race was Mrs. Jane Banta Hopkins, who received 346 votes and Leo J. Schott was sixth with 336 votes.

Voters failed to approve a tax levy proposal onthe ballot with 427 for and 689 against. The tax proposal was not an increase in the $3.70 tax per $100 assessed valuation. The board was seeking approval to change 10 cents from the debt service fund to the incidental fund, which must be approved by voters.

EAST PRAIRIE

In the R-2 School District, incumbent candidates Clayton Allstun and Donald Dick were re-elected for three year terms on the board of education.

Allstun received the highest amount of votes, 542 and Dick tallied 526 votes. The third candidate, Jim Robinson, Jr., received a total of 204 votes in the unofficial count.

The board did not seek an increase in thepresent tax levy of $3.25 per $100 assessed valuatin, so no tax proposal was on the ballot.

Sam Jones, who was unopposed for a two year term on the county board of education received 497 votes for re-election from the second district. John Joe Bryant, also unopposed, was elected with 527 to a one-year term on the county board from the second district, filling a vacancy left by the late Thurston Drummond.

Dennis Quertermous received 1,204 votes for election to the county board from the first district for a two-year term.

Write-in candidate elected alderman

ORAN — Write-in candidate Melton Harris won the position of ward four alderman in Tuesday's city elections. He received 36 votes, compared to 23 for Earl Johns and seven for Richard Randolph. Both Johns and Randolph were announced candidates.

Benny Evans polled 31 votes to win the position of ward one alderman. Dempsey Graham received 16.

Millard Brinker won the position of ward three alderman with 57 votes, compared to the 39 received by Larry Dannenmueller and the 17 received by W. M. Halter. Another candidate, Mary Ann Halter, did not receive any votes.

Wesley Harris received 56 votes to win the position of ward three alderman. The other announced candidate for the position, Jerome Diebold, received 31 and D. Perry received one write-in vote.

Body recovered

PORTAGEVILLE--The body of Jesse Lee Robinson, 24, of Route Three, who died by accidental drowning, according to New Madrid County Coroner, Gene Clayton, was recovered at 11:47 a.m. Tuesday from a rainfilled ditch along the Jaywye road five miles northwest of town.

Robinson had been missing since Saturday night when he failed to arrive home after last being seen walking in a flooded farm field toward his house, located one-half mile north on Little River Ditch.

Robinson's body was found about 75 yards from where he was last seen. Deputy Sheriff C.B. Correthers discovered the body in six-to-seven-foot deep water while dragging the ditch with a garden rake.

The body is at Richards Funeral Home in New Madrid.

Incumbents re-elected

Three incumbents were re-elected to their seats on the Miner Board of Trustees.

Re-elected were L.F. Wheeler, with 137 votes, Milton Sadler, with 108 votes, and Floyd Dillender with 113 votes.

They were opposed by Joe, James, who received 69 votes, Harold Lewis, who received 75 votes, and Fred Gilliland, who received 92 votes.

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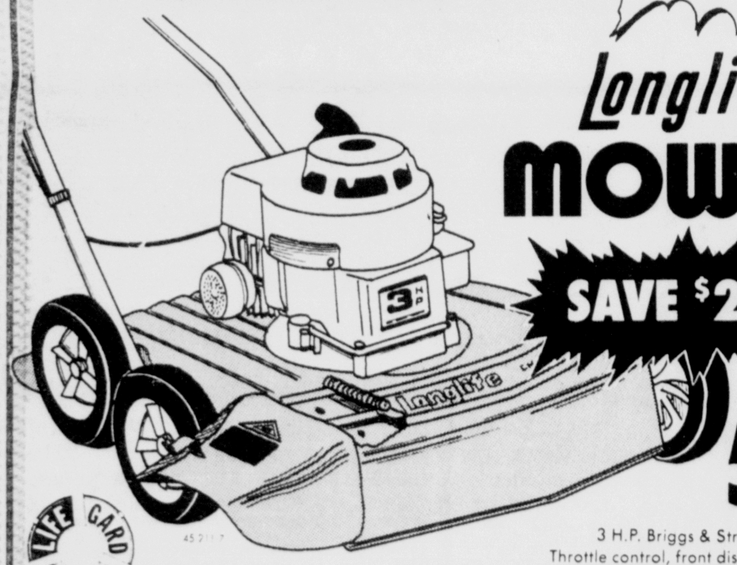

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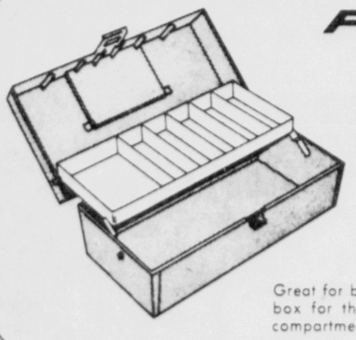

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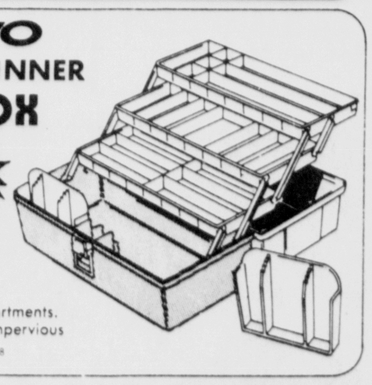

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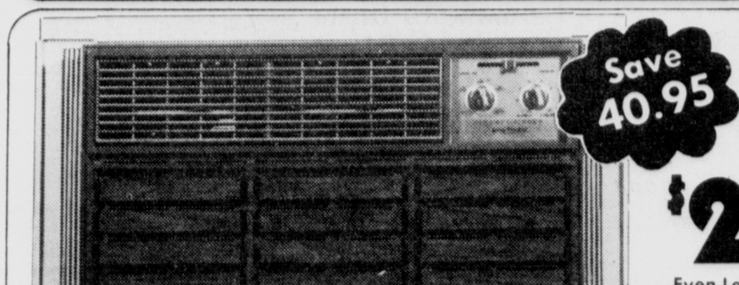

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Prairie hosts area meeting

EAST PRAIRIE — The Future Farmers of America organization of East Prairie High School was host March 27 for the Area 12 Awards Banquet held in the A. J. Martin Elementary School's multi-purpose room.

Proficiency awards and Area 12 contest awards were presented, new officers for the Area 12 District were installed and the featured speaker for the event was Bill Whitener, president of the Fredericktown school board.

Kenneth D. Williams, vice president of Sikeston Production Credit Association, presented $25 savings bonds to all first place winners in Area 12 in the various categories of proficiency. The first place winner in agricultural processing was Joe Neager of Ste. Genevieve.

Denise Whitener of Fredericktown was recipient of the first place award in ornamental horticulture. David Whitener of Fredericktown took first place award in sheep production. Other first place winners and their categories are as follows: Mike Coffman, Ste. Gnevieve, horse proficiency; Ronnie King, Fredericktown, placement in agriculture production; Floyd Shell, Fredericktown, livestock production; Tom Tawfall, Fredericktown, dairy production; Robert Felter, Kelly, home and farmstead improvement; John Kindlesparger, Fredericktown, fish and wildlife.

Roy Michael, Fredericktown, poultry production; Ronald Parson, Fredericktown, forestry; Will Smith, Puxico, agricultural mechanics; C. J. Sebastian, Fredericktown, swine production; Jay Hansmann, Fredericktown, soil and water management; James Simpkins, East Prairie, crop production; Leslie Collier, Kelly, agriculture electrification; Jerry Graves, Ste. Genevieve, beef production; Kevin Mainord, East Prairie, sales and service; and Ron Tinsely, Fredericktown, outdoor recreation.

Chapters participating in the Annual Area Contests,held March 18 at Lutesville, were presented ribbons by Steve Lingle, president of the local FFA Chapter andt he retiring president of Area 12.

Contest results are as follows: Treasurer's book, Saint Genevieve, first place, Fredericktown, second place and Oran, third place; Secretary's book, Fredericktown, first place, East Prairie, second place, and Ste. Genevieve, third place; reporter's scrapbook, East Prairie, first place, Ste. Genevieve, second place, and Farmington, third place.

Creed speaker, Fredericktown, first place; Advance, second place; and Kelly, third place. Public speaker, Fredericktown, first; East Prairie, second; and Farmington, third. Beginning record book, Farmington, first; Fredericktown, second; and Ste. Genevieve, third. Completed record book, Bloomfield, first; East Prairie, second; and Ste. Genevieve, third; Parliamentary procedure team; Ste. Genevieve, first; Farmington, second; and Fredericktown, third.

Area 12 officers, installed for 1975-76, presented the closing ceremony. The new officers include: David Whitener of Fredericktown, president; Kenny Hulshof, Kelly of Benton, five president; Keith Jackson, Bloomfield, secretary Mike Morona, Advance, treasurer; Neal Neager, Ste. Genevieve, reporter; Rodney Wachter, Jackson, sentinel; James Goehman, Delta, parliamentarian; and Eric Smith, East Prairie, chaplain.

Schott and Westrich win

NEW HAMBURG — Melvin Sachott and Joseph Westrich were elected to the two positions on the Kelso-New Hamburg C-7 school board in Tuesday's school elections. Schott received 123 votes and Westrich 107.

Two other candidates, Charles P. Hess and Roger D. Record, received 92 and 45 votes respectively.

Tuesday night the school board held a short meeting and elected officers. Melvin Glueck was elected president of the board, Claude Dirnberger vice president, Marcus Russel secretary and Charles Grojean treasurer.

Nearly 97 per cent of the raw sugar produced in Hawaii is shipped to the U.S. mainland.

Eifert elected Illmo mayor

ILLMO--Raymond Eifert, running unopposed for re-election to the office of mayor, polled 102 votes in Tuesday's city electons.

Mrs. L.H. Shipman, running unopposed for re-election as alderwoman from ward two, received 65 votes and J.D. St. Clair, running unopposed for election as alderman from ward one received 37.

James F. Held, unopposed for police judge, received 100 votes and the Rev. William Dickey, running without opposition for the position of city collector, received 106 votes.

School official speaks

Bill Whitener, president of Fredericktown School Board, was the featured speaker at the Annual Area 12 Awards Banquet March 27 in East Prairie. Shown with Whitemer are Jay Hansmann of Fredericktown, vice president of Area 12 for 1974-75, left, and Steve Lingle of East Prairie, preesident of the East Prairie chapter and Area 12 during 1974-75.

$25 bond presented

Kenneth D. Williams, left, vice president of Sikeston Production Credit Association, presented Steve Lingle, president of the East Prairie Chapter of Future Farmers of America, a $25 bond for his chapter's Building Our American Communities award March 27 during the annual Area 12 Awards Banquet. Williams also presented $25 saving bonds to all first place winners in the various categories of proficiency.

4-H club meets

DEXTER — The March meeting of the Town and Country 4-H Club was held at the Dexter Central Elementary School.

The group discussed this year's 4-H camp and voted to pay travel expenses for members who meet the club's requirements.

The club also voted to have a bike ride on April 19.

Karen Davis was appointed to make a report on the care of the ears and Vic Elam will report on snake bites at the next meeting.

When the Cadet Chapel organ at West Point was installed in 1911, it had 2,400 pipes and cost $10,000. Today it contains 18,000 pipes, is worth between $800,000 and $1 million and West Point says it's the largest church organ in the world.

The number of visitors to Aruba set a record in 1974, the 17th consecutive year that a record for tourist traffic has been posted by the Caribbean island.

District officers installed

New Area 12 District officers of the Future Farmers of America were installed March 27 at the annual awards banquet hosted by the East Prairie chapter. From left, Eric Smith, East Prairie, chaplain; James Goehman, Delta, parliamentarian; Neal Neager, Ste. Genevieve, reporter; Kenny Hulshof, Benton, vice president; David Whitner, Fredericktown, president; Keith Jackson, Bloomfield, secretary; Mike Morona, Advance, treasurer; and Rodney Wachter, Jackson, sentinel.

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Med.-Surg.	141	121	12	8
Pediatrics	23	20	0	3
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Intensive Care	7	5	0	2
Patients scheduled for admission today	6			

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Karen Seay, Charleston
William Paylor, Sikeston
Barbara Scott, New Madrid
Marzella Crowley, Sikeston
Beulah Odum, Sikeston
Iantha Redman, Lilbourn
Trudie Lenderman, Sikeston
Barbara Turnbo, Sikeston
Sylvester Dublin, East Prairie
Geneva Godwin, East Prairie
Kenny Treadwell, Sikeston
James Smith, Sikeston
Doris Dejournett, Morehouse
Total patients discharged:20

Total patients admitted:25

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Admitted:
Clifford Halford, Hayti
Faye Brewer, Hayti
Thomas Burkeen, Hayti
Golden Sims, Hayti
Carrie Dodson, Hayti
Charles Morgan, Caruthersville
Donna Hayden, Caruthersville
Joyce Mills, Caruthersville
Vickie Tyus, Caruthersville
David Perry, Steele
Burt BAker, Steele
John Darrell, Lilbourn
Robert Braswell, Pascola
Rita Sutton, Portageville
Mary Brooks, Matthews
Richard Bagby, Risco
Released:
Joseph Person, Hayti
Joe Rash, Hayti
Clifford Allen, Hayti
William Lynn, Caruthersville
John Spades, Caruthersville
Patricia Talmadge, Caruthersville
Deborah Hollis, Caruth3rsville
Eva Buchanon, Caruthersville
Marquetta Holmes, Caruthersville
Cora Kelley, Steele
Hattie Cooper, Steele

DEXTER MEMORIAL

Admitted:
Vivian Patterson, Bloomfield
Kathy Eubanks, Dexter
William Boone, Bernie
Theresa Brown, Malden
Released:
Nellie Gaines, Dexter
Annie Smith, Brnie
Gloria Vancil, Bernie
Bruce Vancil, Dexter
Dorothy Jenkins, Morehouse

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Admitted:
Clara Meeks, Chaffee
Released:
Walter Mays, Cape Girardeau
Lou Welker, Lutesville
Stephanie Williams, Jackson

SOUTHEAST MISSOURI

Released:
Mrs. Kirk Stewrt and son, Portageville
Mrs. Byron, Thornton, Fisk
Walter Holt, Dexter
Edonna Stull, Illmo

ST. FRANCIS

Released:
Mrs. Hallie Allen, Chaffee
Edward P. Blattel, Illmo

MAGISTRATE COURT

NEW MADRID — Joseph Hill of New Madrid Route One has been bound over to Circuit Court for trial on two counts of burglary and larceny, after waiving preliminary hearings before Magistrate Judge John R. Bailey. Hill was placed under $500 bond on each charge.

He is accused of burglarizing the V. S. "Whitey" Wescoat home near the LaForge community and stealing several guns. He is also charged with burglarizing the home of J. P. Williams at LaForge and stealing guns.

Kenneth Morris, cheat and defraud, made restitution on check, $35 fine.

SPEEDING FINES

Sirvonue Perkins, $50; Michael Wayne Patterson, $44; Matthias Jung, $32; Denny Eugene Sloan, $30; Noah Thomas Crasy, $25; and Gary Dean Irvin, $20.

BIRTHS

ROSE — Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Rose of Lilbourn are parents of their first child, a daughter born March 26 at Southeast Missouri Hospital in Cape Girardeau. She weighed eight pounds, one ounce and has been named Valerie Elizabeth.

Mrs. Rose is the former Janet Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Price P. Thompson of New Madrid. Rose is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Craig of Malden. Mr. and Mrs. Rose are teachers in the Lilbourn unit of New Madrid County R-1 enlarged school district.

ARRESTS

Daniel Paul Wren, 924 N. Ranney, underage possession of intoxicating beverages.

Jimmy Darrell Hicks, 240 Watson, underage possession of intoxicating beverages.

Jack Lee Weddington, 924 N. Ranney, underage possession of intoxicating beverages.

Lee Hamilton, Benton Route One, assault and battery.

EMERGENCY PATIENTS

Accident patients treated and released Tuesday in the emergency room of Missouri Delta Community Hospital were:

Wilma E. Crockett, 53, Howell, Mich., bruised right ankle in fall on steps; Theodore Laux, 28, Portageville, bruised right hand at work; Sandar G. McGee, 17, Sikeston, stepped on needle.

Mildred Berry, 47, Sikeston, sprained left wrist in fall; Rodney D. Smith, 6, Sikeston, cut finger on glass; Dennis Richards, 12, Sikeston, steppedon nail; Helen Martin, 53, Charleston, injured foot.

Robert Lee Jr., 14, Sikeston, bruised finger with baseball; Lois Harper, 59, Charleston, strained right shoulder in fall; Kathy Henry, 9, East Prairie, fractured right arm in fall; Hal Presley, 17, Sikeston, injured right elbow.

LOCAL STOCKS

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk Sik	6½	7½
Anheuser Busch	37¾	38¼
Bk Bldg and Eq	11	11½
Chase Nat	11¾	12¾
Clinton Oil	1⅞	2
Martha Manning	1¼	1½
Olson Bros	1	1½
Pabst Brewing	27	27½
Scottish Inns	1¼	1¾
Wetterau	14¾	15¼

LISTED STOCKS

Allied Stores	28¾
Amer. Tel & Tel	49
Amer Mtrs.	5⅞
Chrysler	10½
Columbia Gas	26⅜
Eaton Mfg	26⅝
Ford Mtrs	37
Gen. Mtrs.	40⅜
Interstate Brands	2⅞
Malone & Hyde	25
J C Penney	56⅛
New England Elec	15¾
Occidental Pet	13¼
WalMart Stores	19¾

EDITIRS NOTES: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

Quotations furnished by Hugh T. McCollum registered representative for Rowland and Co., 1405 East Malone. Phone 471-5350.

CHICAGO (AP) — Farm commodity futures prices were uneven in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, soybeans were unchanged to 5 cents a bushel lower, May 6.03; wheat was unchanged to 2½ higher, May 3.85; corn was ½ lower to ½ higher, May 3.02 and oats were ½ lower to 1¼ higher, May 1.58½.

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Thursday: 4,500 hogs; 1,400 cattle and 50 sheep.

Hogs 3,500. Butchers 50-1.00 higher. Sows steady to 50 higher.

1-3 200-250 lb butchers 40.75-41.00.

1-3 Sows 300-400 lb 35.00-35.50; 400-450 lb 35.50-36.00; 450-500 lb 37.00-37.75; 500-600 lb 38.00-38.50.

Boars 32.00; under 250 lb 35.00.

Cattle 700. Not enough slaughter steers and heifers to fully test market. Cows and bulls steady.

Few good and choice 950-1150 lb slaughter steers yield 2-4 38.00-39.00. Few choice 800-1000 lb slaughter heifers yield 2-4 37.00-38.00.

Utility and commercial cows 19.00-23.00; cutter 17.00-19.00; canner 15.00-17.00. Bulls yield grade 1 26.00-27.00.

Sheep 250 head. Slaughter lambs 50 higher.

Spring slaughter lambs choice and prime 100-110 lb 46.00-47.00.

Shorn slaughter lambs choice and prime with No. 1 pelts 100 lbs 46.5 0. Wooled slaughter lambs choice and prime 85-110

The Weather Elsewhere
By The Associated Press ..
Wednesday

	HI	LO	PRC	Otlk
Albany	49	29	..	cdy
Albu'que	61	28	..	cdy
Amarillo	51	19	..	cdy
Anchorage	31	23	..	clr
Asheville	69	36	..	rn
Atlanta	69	54	..	cdy
Birmingham	74	55	..	rn
Bismarck	34	18	..	clr
Boise	46	29	..	cdy
Boston	45	33	..	cdy
Brownsville	83	71	..	cdy
Buffalo	36	27	..	cdy
Charleston	65	33	..	rn
Charlotte	68	47	..	cdy
Chicago	36	23	.04	sn
Cincinnati	65	44	..	rn
Cleveland	42	32	..	sn
Denver	32	22	.10	cdy
Des Moines	29	22	.02	sn
Detroit	44	34	..	sn
Duluth	32	24	..	clr
Fairbanks	28	16	..	sn
Fort Worth	79	45	..	cdy
Green Bay	29	24	..	cdy
Helena	26	19	..	clr
Honolulu	82	71	..	clr
Houston	72	63	..	cdy
Ind'apolis	63	40	..	rn
Jacks'ville	73	62	..	cdy
Juneau	39	30	.12	clr
Kansas City	45	26	.44	sn
Las Vegas	55	33	.01	clr
Little Rock	69	50	..	cdy
Los Angeles	62	41	..	clr
Louisville	69	41	..	rn
Marquette	30	8	..	sn
Memphia	71	52	..	rn
Miami	86	72	..	clr
Milwaukee	33	27	.37	sn
Mpls-St. P.	23	18	..	cdy
New Orleans	70	66	..	cdy
New York	64	37	..	cdy
Okla. City	72	26	..	cdy
Omaha	28	20	.22	sn
Orlando	91	63	..	cdy
Philad'phia	67	39	..	clr
Phoenix	66	42	..	clr
Pittsburgh	61	33	..	cdy
P'tland, Ore.	51	45	.01	rn
P'land, Me.	39	18	..	clr
Rapid City	18	3	.06	cdy
Richmond	70	36	..	clr
St. Louis	58	34	..	rn
Salt Lake	40	27	..	clr
San Diego	63	52	..	clr
San Fran	58	46	..	cdy
Seattle	50	42	.07	rn
Spokane	42	31	..	sn
Tampa	86	69	..	cdy
Washington	70	42	..	clr

Hi—Previous day's high.
Lo—This morning's low.
Prc—Precipitation for 24 hours ending 8 a.m. today Eastern time.
Otlk—Sky conditions outlook for today.

MISSISSIPPI RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Chester	27	27.8	-.1
Cape Girardeau	32	35.3	+.3
New Madrid	34	43.3	+.4
Caruthersville	32	42.0	+.5

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall .7 Thursday; fall 1.1 Friday; and fall 1.5 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will remain steady Thursday; fall .6 Friday; and fall 1.0 Saturday and cresting today.

At New Madrid the river will rise .5 Thursday; remain steady Friday; and Saturday andcrest at 43.8 Thursday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .3 Thursday; rise .3 Friday; and remain steady Saturday and will crest at 42.6 Friday.

OHIO RIVER STAGES

	Flood	Now	Chg.
Golconda	40	50.6	+.3
Paducah	39	51.2	+.3
Grand Chain	42	57.4	+.3
Cairo	40	56.1	+.4

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .3 Thursday; rise .3 Friday; and rise .3 Saturday, and crest at 51.5 Saturday.

At Paducah the river will rise .1 Thursday; fall .1 Friday; and remain steady Saturday and is cresting today.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At CAiro the river will rise .1 Thursday; fall .1 Friday; and remain steady Saturday and crest at 56.2 Thursday. The river at Cairo rose .3 ft per hour Monday; .2 ft. per nour Tuesday; and .1 ft. per hour today.

FIRE

PORTAGEVILLE — A fire at 1:20 a.m. today destroyed the rural home of Mrs. J. W. McDonald and five children near Floodway ditch west of town.

The firedepartmnent responded to the call but was unable to save any of the household furnishings or clothing. Cause of the fire was not recorded.

World news

WASHINGTON (AP) — Government economic experts say there now is firm evidence that the nation's deep recession is nearing an end, but they are not yet sure how strong the economic recovery will be. "The economy is showing signs of bottoming out in the last few weeks even without a tax cut," said one economist. He said an economic recovery in the second half of the year "is assured, and it likely will be quite vigorous."

WASHINGTON (AP) — Many key U.S. military officers believe South Vietnam may go down the drain in 60 to 120 days if the North Vietnamese army sustains its momentum. They think the North Vietnamese could concentrate their striking forces in that length of time in sufficient strength to strike the final blow in the Saigon region.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States continues to use up oil and natural gas faster than new petroleum reserves can be found. The American Petroleum Institute says a million barrels more oil was pumped last year than was added to known reserves. Meanwhile, the American Gas Association said that proved reserves of natural gas dropped 5 per cent in 19u4.

PALM SPRINGS, Calif. (AP) — President Ford joined the wife of comedian Bobe Hope in autographing copies of a recipe book.

After playing 18 holes of golf at the Thunderbird Country Club Tuesday, Ford stopped unannounced at a Palm Desert gift shop and signed more than a dozen copies of "Five Star Favorites."

The book contains recipes from friends of President Dwight D. Eisenhower and his widow, Mamie. The collection was compiled by a committee headed by Dolores Hope.

Profits from the sales, at $12.95 a book, benefit the Eisenhower Medical Center at Palm Desert.

LONDON (AP) — The woman Winston Churchill called "My Darling Clementine" is 90.

Baroness Spencer-Churchill, widow of the late Sir Winston Churchill, marked the birthday Tuesday at a luncheon at Claridges hotel with the closest members of her family.

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — Mamie Eisenhower continues to progress in her recovery from an intestinal ailment, according to doctors at a Ft. Gordon hospital.

Maj. George Foster of the U.S. Army Medical Center said Tuesday that the 79-year-old widow of President Dwight D. Eisenhower "is doing very well."

She was hospitalized last week with internal bleeding while vacationing at her winter home at the Augusta National Golf Club.

CHICAGO (AP) — Mayor Richard J. Daley asked the most powerful urban political machine in the nation for his biggest ballot box victory ever, and he got it. Democrat Daley piled up 77 per cent of the vote over two opponents Tuesday to win an unprecedented sixth four-year term. His previous high mark was 74 per cent. Daley's victory was expected, and it solidified his comeback as a major factor in the Democratic party nationally after his ouster from the 1972 national convention in a credentials fight.

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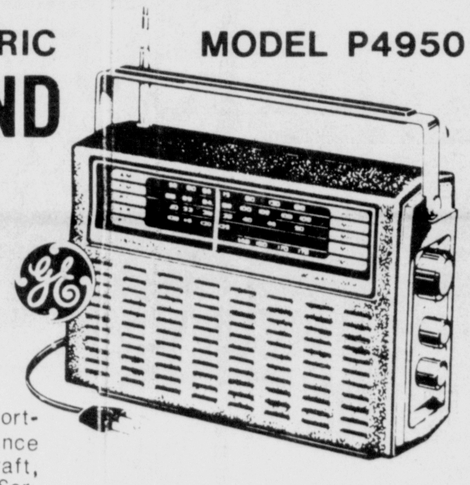

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2. Card of Thanks

I want very, very much to thank each and everyone who were so nice to me while I was in the Sikeston Hospital, those who sent flowers, gifts, cards, those who visited me or telephoned. May God bless you all. My deepest appreciation to the hospital staff, Reverend Hays and Dr. Page.

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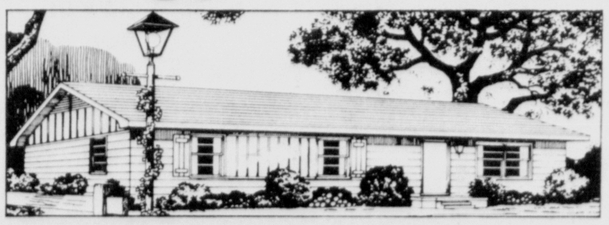

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Deaths

Sherman Rettig

Sherman Rettig, 62, of 1014 Garwood St., died at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday while at Hale Auction Co., Route two.

He was born Oct. 24, 1912 in Blodgett.

He was a route salesman for Dale Vending Co.

Survivors include his widow, Nell Cook Rettig; his father, Otto Rettig of Sikeston; three daughters, Mrs. Jolene Lawson of Sikeston, Mrs. Carol Carl of Kansas City, Kans., Mrs. Brenda Tanshot of Benton; two brothers, Laverne Rettig of Morehouse and Harold Rettig of Sikeston; six sisters, Mrs. Sadie James of White Hall, Ill.; Mrs. Lola Adcock of O'Fallon, Ill., Mrs. Cleo Davis of Keokuk, Ia., Mrs. Willine Miller of Sikeston, Mrs. Dorothy Broderick of Caruthersville; and four grandchildren.

Friends may call at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel until noon Thursday when the body will be removed to Fellowship Baptist Church for services at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Jimmie Edmondson and the Rev. Ralph Buckleyofficiating. Burial will be in Garden of Memories Cemetery.

Maudie Seufert

Maudie Seufert, 65, of 14 Dover St., died at 7:05 a.m. today in Charleston Host House.

She was born June 9, 1909 in Portageville.

She is survived by one foster son, Leroy Baker, of Chillicothe; two brothers, Leonard Allen of Sikeston and Orville Allen of Pheonix, Ariz.; and one sister, Mrs. Dellie Davis of Sikeston.

Friends may call after 7 p.m. today at Nunnelee Funeral Chapel. Graveside rites will be at 11 a.m. Thursday in Garden of Memories Cemetery with the Rev. Ed. Stephenson officiating.

William P. Bacon

DES ARC--William "Bill" P. Bacon, 79, a former New Madrid resident, died Monday night.

He was born Dec. 25, 1895 in Missouri.

Survivors include his widow, Lillion Willford Bacon of DesArc; three daughters, Martha Hampton of Sikeston, and Shirley Dennis and Nancy Mabrey of St. Louis; one sister, Lora Cooper of Crowder; and 13 grandchildren.

Services were conducted today at 2:30 p.m. at Richards Funeral Home in New Madrid. The Rev. D. Smith officiated and burial followed in Mounds Park Cemetery near Lilbourn.

Dorothy Patrick

EAST PRAIRIE--Mrs. Dorothy Ailene Patrick, 44, of 312 Second St., died at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday at her home, following an extended illness.

She was born Aug, 13, 1930 in St. Louis, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Finus Ashley Simmons, and had lived in Mississippi County 33 years. She was a member of the Pentecostal Church.

On Aug, 24, 1945 she mrried William Henry Patrick, who survives.

Also surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Lucille Warren and Mrs. Earlene Daughhetee of East Prairie and Miss Connie Patrick of the home; six sons, Kenneth, Sid, Thomas and Sam Patrick of East Prairie, Lance and Gary Patrick of the home; two sisters, Mrs. Onieta Brown of East Prairie and Mrs. Virginia Stucker of Kansas City; two brothers, R.B. Harrison of Hickman, Ky. and Thomas Simmons of East Prairie; and 11 grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a son and a grandson.

Friends may call after 4:30 p.m. today at the Shelby Funeral Home where services are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. Bill Porter, pastor of the First Church of God, officiating.

Burial will follow in Dogwood Cemetery, near East Prairie.

Ada Oliver

EAST PRAIRIE--Mrs. Ada Oliver, 91, died at 3:10 p.m., Tuesday in the Sikeston Convalescent Center, following an extended illness.

She was born Nov. 1, 1883 in East Pairie, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. James M. Ford, and had lived in Mississippi County all her life. She was a member of the First Church of God of East Prairie.

On March 31, 1903 she married Benjamin Oliver, who preceded her in death in 1928.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. Opal LaPlant of East Prairie; two sons, Harry B. Oliver of Sun City, Ariz. and Carl B. Oliver of Detriot, Mich.; and 10 grandhcildren , 21 great grandchildren and four great-great grandchildren.

Friends may call after 3 p.m. Thursday at the Shelby Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in the First Church of God with the Revs. Bill Porter, pastor, and Paul Presso officiating.

Burial will follow in Oak Grove Cemetery near Charleston.

Former area man dies from accident injuries

YAZOO CITY, Miss. — B. L. "Buddy" Morrison Jr., 38, of Route Four Carter Road, formerly of Lilbourn, Mo., died today at 6 a.m. in Baptist Hospital in Jackson from internal injuries received in an automobile accident on March 27.

Born April 29, 1936 at Armorel, Ark., he was a son of Ollie Ryan Morrison of Lilbourn and the late B. L. Morrison. He was reared in Lilbourn and graduated from Lilbourn High School. He was a 1958 graduate of the University of Missouri-Columbia and had farmed in Yazoo County since 1967.

He was a member of the Wahabi Temple Shrine and Masonic Lodge in Greenville. He was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and on the nominating committee of the Federal Land Bank in Jackson.

In 1960 he married Dorothy Frances James, who survives.

In addition to his mother and widow, other survivors include one son, James Wayne Morrison; two daughters, Diane Ryan Morrison and Patricia Robinson Morrison of the home; and one sister, Mrs. Mona Bloomfield of New Madrid.

Services are scheduled at 10 a.m. Friday at the Stricklin-King Funeral Home in Yazoo City. Burial will follow that afternoon at 5 p.m. in Mounds Park Cemetery near Lilbourn.

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received 27 votes for re-election to a two-year term as alderman.

CHARLESTON

Voters Tuesday elected Terry Rowe to a three year term on the City Council by a margin of 306 votes. Rowe tallied 603 votes to 297 votes for Georgfe L. Hathhorn.

Rowe will fill the position vacated by Sam E. Story, who did not seek re-election.

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Bell City School District voters elected Larry Strobel and Ferel H. Austin Jr. with no oppositon.

Bloomfield voters elected Glen Ayers as the new mayor. Ayers received 173 votes, Bill Bishop, 40 votes, and Wayne Freeman 43 votes. Incumbent ward one alderman Bill Cowger and ward two incumbent Jim Hall were elected with no opposition. Also unopposed were city collector Alma Burdine and Police Judge Howard Stevens.

Gorty Aslin and Donna Gard were elected to the Bloomfield Board of Education. Aslin drew 264 votes, Donna Gard, 168, John Branum 148 and Bob Holland 167.

In the Bernie city election all candidates were elected with no oppoition. Elected were, Ray Coats, alderman ward one; Ronald Walker, alderman ward two; and Wendall Moore, alderman from ward three.

Elected to fill two seats on the Bernie School Board were incumbent Bill Stone with 255 votes and Charlie Jennings with 275 votes. Opponent's Wayne Waltrip received 40 votes and Guy Foster 126.

In Dexter all three incumbent were re-elected to the board of aldermen. In ward three, James T. Williams was re-elected , pulling 136 votes. His opponents James Terry Cobb pulled 9 votes and Ton Nunn 98 votes. In ward one, Eldon Cooper easily defeated his opponent David E. Davis by a vote of 142 to 43. Ward two incumbent Jack Smarr was re-elected with no opposition.

Dexter school board incumbents, Loren Coffey and F.H. Kandalaft, were elected with no opposition.

In the Essex city election, Roger Jordan was unopposed for the office of mayor as was Danny Hillis for alderman from ward one and John Tucker from ward two.

Penermon voters elected Theoplis Clark to fill one seat on the board of aderman. Clark received 28 votes defeating his opponent Timmie Hampton by only one vote. Hampton received 27 votes. Other candidates Walter Barber received 19 votes and Marvin Brown 9 votes. Zeke Brown was elected mayor with no opposition. Morris Griffin was elected and collector and Lee Hester was elected city clerk withno opposition.

Incumbent Richland School Board members Elzie Wethington received 186 votes and Lee Bloomfield 161 votes to be re-elected to the Richland Board of Education. Robert McGhee received 133 votes and Norman Triplett 55 votes.

Puxico incumbent Mayor J. Roy Smithwas re-elected with no oppositoon. John Roach was elected to fill the vacancy of alderman from ward two. Roach received 56 votes and his opponent Jewell Kitchens received 45 votes.

Charles Placher received 352 votes and Marvin Johnston received 384 votes to be elected to the Puxico Board of Education. Opponents Fred Dirickson and W.R. Smith pulled 95 and 144 votes respectively.

Puxico voters also approved an increase in the school tax levy by a vote of 344 for and 139 against. The levy will now be $3.70, compared to $3.55 in the past.

No candidates filed for the Dudley city elections. Positions now open include a mayor and two alderman, one from each ward. The mayor's office was vacated when former mayor T.L. Jerrells moved out of the city.

John Roach of District four and Roger Jordon of District one were elected to the Stoddard County Ambulance District Board of Trustee's with no oppositon.

Elected to the Stoddard County School Board with no opposition were Alvin Corbin from the first district and Bobby Coffey from the second district.

Children view page

Children from the North Pemiscot Head Start Center at Wardell toured The Daily Standard Newspaper plant March 19. Here the cildren learn how a page is made up. Front row, from left, are Chris Gamling, Clarence Lane, Tammy White, Tyrone Lane and Rosie Moore. Second row, Steven McMahon, Joseph Keaton, Sandra Jefferson, Tonya Cheetum, Destria Williams, Peggy Moore and Anthony McAdams. Third row, Marsha Gipson, Juanita Gibson, social worker, and Jacquelyn Ruff. Back row, Charlene Moore, a volunteer; Lodora Hursey, teacher; and Wilma White, volunteer.

(Daily Standard photo)

Taxpayers to get rebates next month

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service says taxpayers will begin to receive their tax rebate checks in May with all 78 million checks in the mail by the end of June.

The rebates are being provided under the tax cut bill passed by Congress and signed signed by President Ford last month.

Following are questions and answers, as prepared by the Internal Revenue Service, about the tax rebates:

Q. What is a rebate?

A. A rebate is the return of a portion of your 1974 tax authorized by the tax reduction act of 1975.

Q. What is the base for the IRS computation of rebates?

A. Generally, the law provides 10 per cent of 1974 tax as a base for computing rebates but establishes $200 as the maximum rebate.

Q. I had no federal tax liability in 1974. Am I eligible for a rebate?

A. No, the rebate is based on liability for tax for 1974.

Q. What is the minimum rebate?

A. The law established $100 as the minimum rebate unless the taxpayer's 1974 tax was less than $100, in which event the entire amount of tax would be returned in the form of a rebate.

Q. Will I receive any type of explanation with my rebate check?

A. Yes, each check will include an explanatory stuffer.

Q. If my wife and I file separately, will we get a bigger rebate?

A. No, the maximum rebate for a married individual filing separately is $100.

Q. I owe money on my 1974 tax. Do I have to pay it before I get my rebate?

A. Yes, you should pay any amount of tax due. Otherwise, if you owe any money on your current year's or any prior year's tax returns, your rebate will be credited to your account. If your rebate is greater than the amount you owe, the difference will be sent to you.

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ward three alderman, regained his seat by defeating challenger Bobby Daniels. Voters cast 304 votes for Hunter and 113 for Daniels.

Richard "Dick" St. Mary Jr., who was unopposed in his first bid for elective office, was named ward two alderman by 287 voters.

CANALOU

Floyd Smith polled 23 votes to be elected ward one alderman over William Bishop, who tallied 5 votes, and Larry Drake who received 8 votes.

Fred Laster defeated C. C. Blankenship for the ward two alderman seat by a vote of 37 to 22.

RISCO

William E. Gordon, who received 24 votes, captured the east ward alderman seat by defeating Tommy Parson, who tallied 11 votes.

Oscar Miller, incumbent west ward alderman, was returned to office by 24 votes over Lindel Stephens, who polled 16 votes.

Alfred Scott, incumbent marshal, was ithout opposition and received 68 votes.

LILBOURN

Lilbourn voters overwhelmingly favored an annexation proposal to add approximately 40 acres to the city by casting 307 ballots for the annixation to 3 against.

Dick Twitty, unopposed incumbent east ward alderman, was returned to office with 141 votes and John Baker received 79 votes in his uncontested bid for the westward alderman seat.

MARSTON

Claude White received 92 votes to win a one-year unexpired term as marshal over Gene Pikey, who had been filing the office by appointment. Pikey polled 67 votes in the race.

Robert Cook tallied 55 votes to gain the south ward alderman post vacated by White; and Robert Clay tallied 67 votes to be re-elected north ward alderman without opposition.

GIDEON

In the only contested race Virgle Weaks unseated incumbent south ward alderman William E. "Jack" Lamar by 83 votes to 70.

Billie Lamar received 24 votes to be re-elected north ward alderman without opposition.

HOWARDVILLE

James Junior Young, incumbent ward one alderman, was defeated for re-election by J. B. Rowe, who received 63 votes to 31 cast for Young.

Leroy Bashley gained a two-year term as ward two alderman without opposition. Bashley who had been filling the post by appointment received 80 votes.

CATRON

Murphy Young, a new candidate for a seat on the five-member board of trustees, tallied 23 votes to lead the balloting. Other members named and votes polled include D. F. Allen, 21; James Swiney, 20, Charles Johnson, 19 and Lloyd Matlock, 18. One of the board members will be chosen mayor by the trustees.

Death penalty bill to pass in House

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo. (AP) — A Senate bill requiring the death penalty for any premeditated murder will pass in the House, which already has approved a measure mandating death for 13 crimes, the sponsor of the House bill said Tuesday.

Rep. Bob Griffin, D-Cameron, also told the Senate Criminal and Jurisprudence Committee he prefers the Senate measure.

The committee, after hearing prison guards and sheriffs promote the death penalty, voted to recommend to the Senate floor a substitute for the House bill which drops the 13 categories and makes all premeditated murder punishable by death as outlined in the previously approved Senate bill.

"I've been in favor of it from the beginning," he said.

He said he first felt the Senate bill might be unconstitutional but now feels differently after researching the matter further.

The U.S. Supreme Court stuck down death penalty laws across the country in 1972, saying they were discriminatory because discretion was left in the sentencing as to whether the utlimate penalty should be invoked.

The substitute bill contains a new provision saying if the proposed death penalty law is found to be unconstitutional, persons who commit premeditated murder shall be sentenced to life imprisonment with no parole for the first 50 years behind bars.

Two guards at the Missouri State Penitiary here told the committee they support the death penalty, but did not take a stand on which capital punishment bill they prefer.

Both bills would require death for prisoners who kill behind the walls. A guard was killed earlier this year at the prison here.

"We're scared out there, gentlemen," said Maj. Danton Steele. "We need the protection."

Representatives of the Catholic Church and the American Civil Liberties Union opposed the death penalty, but Sen. Larry Marshall, R-Columbia, a consistent capital punishment foe, was the only committee member to vote against the substitute bill.

Marshall said statistics show capital punishment is not a deterrent to crime and that more emphasis should be placed on rehabilitation.

World population is increasing by 80 million people a year, the highest growth rate in history, according to research-engineering firm Arthur D. Little Inc.

After the French occupied Moscow Sept. 12, 1812, fires started by the Russians destroyed 30,000 homes.

Rebates Up to $30

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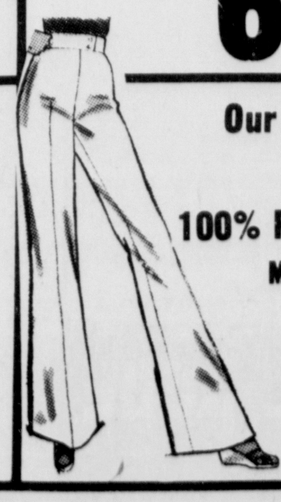

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UCLA tops final AP poll

LOS ANGELES (AP) — John Wooden didn't have to be told UCLA was the champion again. He already knew his Bruins had come out on top two ways.

UCLA was named No. 1 in The Associated Press' final poll of the 1974-75 season Tuesday, almost an anticlimax after it had captured the national championship Monday night with a 92-85 triumph over Kentucky in the National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament in San Diego.

The bespectacled 64-year-old former coach of the Bruins has repeatedly said that's the important championship. "Still, I am pleased that we are officially No. 1," said Wooden, echoing what he'd said two years ago when UCLA topped the tourney and the poll after that season ended.

"I don't think the polls mean as much in basketball as they do in football. In football, there is no way to determine a national champion on the field, but in basketball there is," Wooden said then. He acknowledged, however, that if a poll meant anything, it should be taken after the regular season.

The Bruins, however, were not unanimous choices.

Of 49 sports writers and broadcasters who cast ballots, 45 of them name the Bruins No. 1. One ballot contained half a vote each for UCLA and Indiana, which compiled the best record among major colleges. Two other ballots were cast for Indiana as No. 1 and another balloter, Hubert Mizell, sports editor of The St. Petersburg Times, voted Syracuse first in protest.

Mizell listed as his choices, in order, Syracuse, Louisville, Kentucky and UCLA, the reverse order of finish of the NCAA tournament. He said he did it "in protest over The AP's holding a ballot after the legitimate championship tournament."

The Bruins, 28-3, wound up with 969 points on the poll compared to No. 2 Kentucky, 26-5, with no first-place votes but 830 points. Indiana, 31-1, dropped to third with 787 points, followed by Louisville, 28-3, with 762. Maryland was a distant fifth with 525.

Rounding out the top 10 were Syracuse, which lost in overtime to Louisville for third place in the NCAA tournament; North Carolina State, picked No. 1 in The AP's preseason poll; Arizona State, North Carolina, and Alabama.

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press' final 1974-75 major college basketball poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-7 etc.:

1.	UCLA (45½)	28-3	969
2.	Kentucky	26-5	830
3.	Indiana (2½)	31-1	787
4.	Louisville	28-3	762
5.	Maryland	24-5	525
6.	Syracuse (1)	23-9	443
7.	N. Car. St.	27-6	403
8.	Arizona St.	25-4	377
9.	N. Carolina	23-8	295
10.	Alabama	22-5	246
11.	Marquette	23-4	210
12.	Princeton	22-8	127
13.	Cincinnati	23-6	124
14.	Notre Dame	19-10	110
15.	Kansas St.	20-9	69
16.	Drake	20-10	67
17.	Nev-L.Vegas	24-5	41
18.	Oregon St.	18-12	40
19.	Michigan	19-8	36
20.	Providence	17-10	27

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Arizona, Auburn, Boston College, Centenary, Central Michigan, Clemson, Creighton, Furman, Holy Cross, Kansas, La Salle, Montana, New Mexico State, Oregon, Pan American, Penn, Rutgers, St. Bonaventure, Southern California, Stetson, Tennessee, Texas A&M, Texas-El Paso, Washington.

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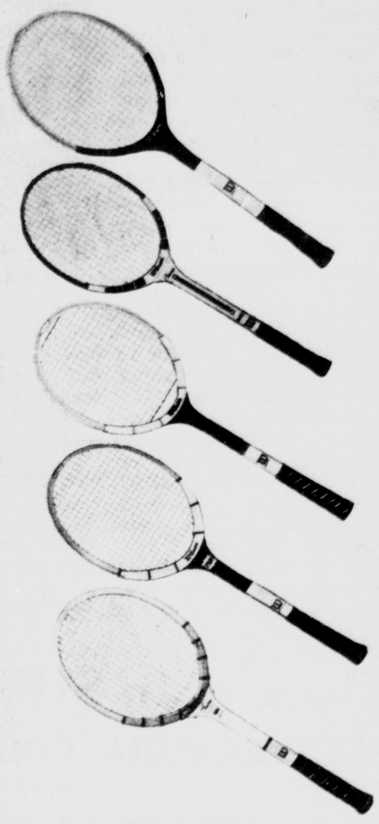

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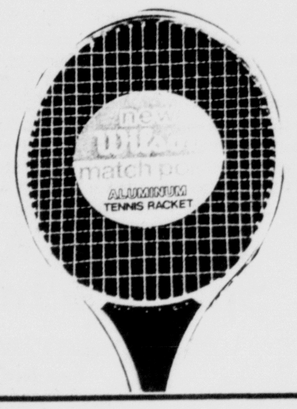

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SeMo State signs 2 area cage stars

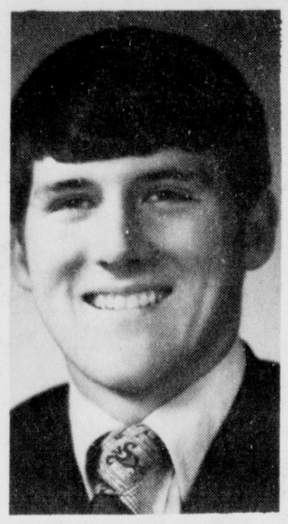
CAPE GIRARDEAU–Two all-star players from Southeast Missouri State University's "bakyard" have become the first recruits of the Indians' new head basketball coach Carroll Williams.

They are Mark Beussink, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beussink of Jackson and Russ Mothershead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Mothershead of Benton.

Beussink, a 6-2 guard, played his high school basketball under Coach Ed Arnzen of Notre Dame High School in Cape Girardeau. Mothershead, a 6-5 forward, was coached by Nick Lanpher of Kelly High School in Benton.

Coach Williams praised both players, indicating they will probably wsee some varsity action as freshmen, and said both definitely "figure in our plans quite a bit."

Mark Beussink



Russ Mothershead

Beussink, said Williams, "is the type young man that we want to build our program around. He is a fine player, dedicated to athletics, good student and a winner."

The Southeast Missouri State coach termed Mothershead "an asset to the program." He continued, "He is a good student, personable young man, and will be a definite contributor as soon as he learns the system."

The 17-year-old Beussink, a three-year lettermen at Notre Dame, hit 56 per cent of his field goal attemps and 57 per cent of his free throw attemps during his senior year. His team compiled a 21-4 record.

Beussink also plays baseall at Notre Dame. He is a pitcher.

Mothershead, also 17 years old, averaged 19.4 points and 15 rebounds a game for Kelly during the past season. He is a good jumper and has a nice touch and shooting range, according to Willias.

The Benton resident, who plans to study agriculture and physical education at Southeast Missouri State, hit 82 per cent from the free throw line and 52 per cent from the field as a senior. His Kelly team compiled a 20-5 record.

Both Beussink and Mothershead were named t several all-star teams and made honorable mention all-state for Class AA.

Pro Basketball

By The Associated Press

NBA

Eastern Conference

Atlantic Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Boston	57	22	.722	—
Buffalo	48	31	.608	9
New York	39	40	.494	18
Philaphia	34	46	.425	23½

Central Division

x-Washington	57	21	.731	—
Houston	41	40	.506	17½
Cleveland	39	41	.488	19
Atlanta	31	50	.383	27½
N. Orleans	23	57	.288	35

Western Conference

Midwest Division

Chicago	45	34	.570	—
K.C.-Omaha	43	36	.544	2
Detroit	39	41	.488	6½
Milwaukee	36	43	.456	9

Pacific Division

x-Golden St.	47	33	.588	—
Seattle	39	39	.500	7
Portland	36	44	.450	11
Phoenix	31	48	.392	15½
L.Angeles	30	49	.380	16½

x-clinched division title

Tuesday's Results

Chicago 98, Buffalo 93
Washington 110, New Orleans 101
Houston 113, Atlanta 104
Milwaukee 98, Detroit 91
New York 99, Philadelphia 95
Portland 124, Los Angeles 106

Wednesday's Games

Buffalo at Boston
Houston at Washington
Chicago at Detroit
Los Angeles at Phoenix
Kansas City-Omaha at Seattle

Thursday's Game

New York at Cleveland

ABA

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Kentucky	56	26	.683	—
New York	56	26	.683	—
St. Louis	31	51	.378	25
Memphis	27	55	.329	29
Virginia	15	67	.183	41

West Division

x-Denver	64	19	.771	—
San Anton.	50	33	.602	13½
Indiana	45	37	.549	18½
Utah	36	46	.439	27½
San Diego	31	51	.378	32½

x-clinched division title

Tuesday's Results

St. Louis 122, Utah 109
San Antonio 130, San Diego 113
Memphis 121, Virginia 102
Denver 126, Indiana 115

Wednesday's Games

Virginia at Kentucky
Memphis at New York
Utah at Indiana
St. Louis at San Diego

Thursday's Games

New York at Virginia
St. Louis at Utah
Kentucky at Memphis
Indiana at San Antonio
San Diego at Denver

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Kansas Relays draws top vaulters

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Changes in SHS slate announced

The Sikeston Bulldogs' game with Kelly, scheduled at 4 o'clock this afternoon at VFW stadium, was cancelled and will be rescheduled at a future date because Kelly High School is not in session this week.

Meanwhile, Sikeston Coach N.P. McDaniels has announced that the Bulldogs have added a game to their slate-a 4 p.m. encounter with the Oran Eagles Friday on the Sikeston home field.

Lefthander Ricky Taylor, a junior, is scheduled to pitch for Sikeston. Barring the unforseen, ace righthander Kenny Stokes will throw his stuff at the West Plains Zizzers Saturday afternoon in a 1 o'clock game.

Sikeston won its first game last week when Stokes threw an overpowering two-hitter in a 5-0 win over the Lilbourn Panthers.

Sports schedule

Wednesday's Schedule

Baseball

Winona State at Southeast Missouri State University
Fulton County, Ky., at East Prairie
Naylor at Neelyville

Track

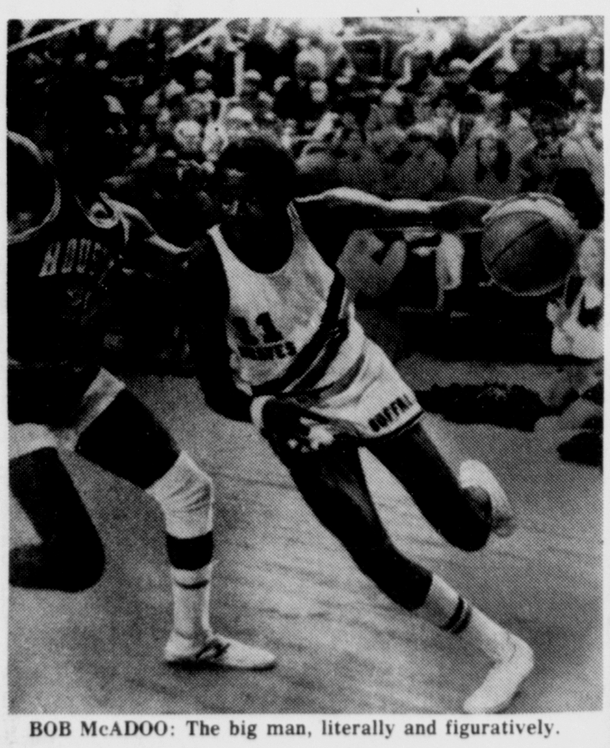
East Prairie at Malden

Tennis

Kennett at Sikeston

Golf

Dexter at Sikeston



BOB McADOO: The big man, literally and figuratively.

McAdoo captures NBA's MVP prize

NEW YORK (AP) — Bob McAdoo of the Buffalo Braves, the National Basketball Association's leading scorer, was named the league's Most Valuable Player for 1974-75, the NBA announced today.

The 6-foot-10 center, runnerup to Milwaukee Bucks center Kareem Abdul-Jabbar in last year's voting, polled 81 first-place votes and 547 points in running away with the Podoloff Trophy balloting by NBA players.

Boston Celtics center Dave Cowens was second this time with 310 points, Elvin Hayes of the Washington Bullets was third at 289, Golden State's Rick Barry was fourth with 254 points and Abdul-Jabbar rounded out the top five with 161.

"I'm really happy. I can't believe it. It seems like a dream," said McAdoo, an overwhelming choice for Rookie of the Year honors as a forward in 1972-73.

In his rookie year, he averaged 18 points and 9.1 rebounds per game. That was just a warmup for a sophomore season in which he led the league in scoring with 30.8 points per game, had the top shooting percentage with 54.7 and was third in rebounding with 15.1.

The 23-year-old McAdoo passed up his senior year at North Carolina, becoming eligible to turn professional under the NBA's hardship rule. He was the second selection in the player draft, behind LaRue Martin of the Portland Trail Blazers.

Entering Tuesday night's game against the Chicago Bulls, McAdoo topped league scorers with 34.6 points per game, was third in rebounding with 14.2 and led the league in minutes played with 3,370.

"What makes winning the MVP so hard to believe is that I was a high school and college kid just a few years ago," McAdoo said. "Now, all the players I heard about and read about think I'm the best. And that's an honor, man!"

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MOORE'S

A's ready; Cruz tough on Birds

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

The Oakland A's are ready, even the one who is no longer in Oakland.

Catfish Hunter, the baseball pitcher A's owner Charles O. Finley let get away, sparkled again for the New York Yankees even though the Yanks suffered a 4-1 defeat to the Atlanta Braves.

And the A's acted Tuesday as if they didn't even need Hunter, who led them to three consecutive World Series championships.

Mike Norris, Rollie Fingers and Blue Moon Odom combined to pitch a one-hitter against Milwaukee while Reggie Jackson slammed four hits to pace the A's 9-1 exhibition baseball rout of the Brewers. Milwaukee's only hit was an infield single in the second inning.

Hunter has pitched 33 innings this spring, posting an earned run average of 1.64. The only run Atlanta scored against him Tuesday was unearned.

Hunter gave up four hits and struck out five in his seven-inning stint against the Braves.

Atlanta won the game in the eighth inning when Dusty Baker slammed a three-run double with two outs.

In other games, Cincinnati beat the New York Mets 8-2, Houston edged St. Louis 3-2, Montreal stopped Minnesota 95, Baltimore nipped Texas 4-3, Los Angeles out-slugged San Francisco 11-7, San Diego defeated the Chicago Cubs 4-2, Boston crushed Detroit 9-0, and the Chicago White Sox and Pittsburgh split a doubleheader, Chicago winning the first game 4-1 and the Pirates taking the nightcap 6-3.

The University of Arizona shocked the Cleveland Indians when sophomore Pete Van Horne lined a bases-loaded double in the ninth to give the Wildcats a 6-5 victory.

Willie McCovey smashed a two-run homer, and Ron Davis did the rest as San Diego defeated the Chicago Cubs, who marked their ninth loss in their last 10 games.

Houston edged the Cardinals as Jose Cruz hit a two-run homer in the seventh to knot the score, then tallied the winning run in the ninth on Ken Boswell's single.

Home runs by Ed Armbrister and Tony Perez powered Cincinnati's 19-hit assault to crush the Mets.

A home run and a double by rookie Gary Carter drove in three runs to lead the Montreal Expos over Minnesota.

A hit batter, a single to center and a bad-hop single by Bobby Grich gave Baltimore an 11-inning victory over Texas. Texas tied the game in the ninth when Joe Lovitto singled home Tom Grieve.

Two triples by Dave Lopes, one coming in a three-run third, lifted Los Angeles past San Francisco.

The Chicago White Sox snapped a six-game losing streak behind Wilbur Wood's five-hit pitching in the first game of an exhibition doubleheader. But Pittsburgh won the nightcap as pitcher Wayne Simpson doubled home three runs and Rennie Stennett stroked a triple in the six-run second inning.

Exploding for 13 hits, the Boston Red Sox blanked Detroit. Bernie Carbo and Rick Miller blasted three-run homers and three Boston pitchers, Bill Lee, Diego Segui and Dick Pole, fashioned a six-hit shutout, snapping Detroit's four-game winning streak.

Exhibition baseball

By The Associated Press
Tuesday's Results

Cincinnati 8, New York (N) 2
Pittsburgh 1-6, Chicago (A) 4-3
Montreal 9, Minnesota 5
Baltimore 4, Texas 3
Atlanta 4, New York 1
Houston 3, St. Louis 2
Los Angeles 11, San Francisco 7
San Diego 4, Chicago (N) 2
Arizona State U. 3¼, Cleveland 5
Oakland 9, Milwaukee 1
Boston 9, Detroit 0

Wednesday's Games

Kansas City vs. Chicago (A) at Sarasota, Fla.
Texas vs. New York (A) at Fort Lauderdale, Fla.
Baltimore vs. Atlanta at West Palm Beach, Fla.
Philadelphia vs. Boston at Winter Haven, Fla.
Houston vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Cincinnati vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.
Oakland vs. Cleveland at Tucson, Ariz.
San Diego vs. Milwaukee at Sun City, Ariz.
San Francisco vs. California at Fresno, Calif.
Chicago (N) vs. Los Angeles at Scottsdale, Ariz.
Pittsburgh vs. Detroit at Lakeland, Fla., night

Thursday's Games

Houston vs. St. Louis at St. Petersburg, Fla.
Philadelphia vs. Montreal at Daytona Beach, Fla.

A's, Buc', Dodgers favored

ST. LOUIS AP--The Oakland Athletics, Pittsburgh Pirates and Los Angeles Dodgers have been picked as repeat winners in their divisions and the New York Yankees have been chosen as the new American League East champions by the Baseball Writers Association of America.

In a poll conducted by the Sporting News, the baseball writers chose Oakland to breeze past the Texas Rangers in the American League West, the Yanks to edge the Baltimore Orioles in th A.L. East, Los Angeles to beat the Cincinnati Reds again in the National League West and Pittsburgh to squeeze past the St. Louis Cardinals in the N.L. East.

The BBWA predicted order of finish:

A.L. West--Oakland (1,418 points), Texas (1,240), Kansas Cit4zgj.a97), Chicago (662), Minnesota (575) and California (526).

A.L. East--New York (1,402), Baltimore (1,456), Boston (998), Cleveland (714), Milwaukee (593) and Detroit (355).

N.L. West--Los Angeles (1,450), Cincinnati (1,361), Houston (857), Atlanta (830), San Francisco (561)and San Diego (359).

N.L. East--Pittsburgh (1,280), St. Louis (1,262), Philadelphia (1,081), New York (843), Montreal (638) and Chicago (314).

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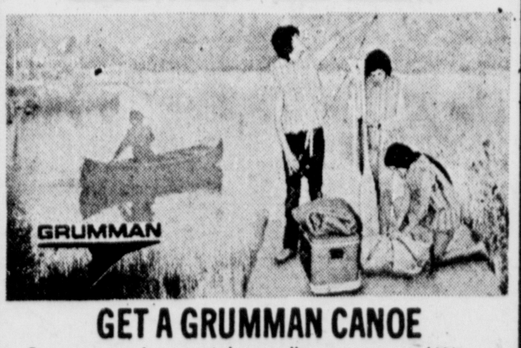

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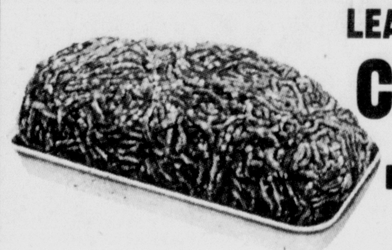

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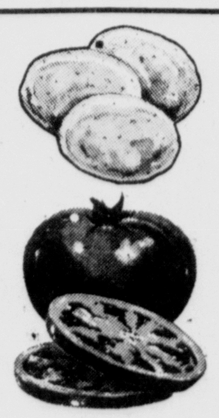

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Mr. Charles Blanton, Jr.
Daily Sikeston Standard
Sikestonk, Missouri

Mr. Blanton:

I see you've done it again!!! I'm referring to the picture of the terrible tragedy plastered on the front page of your newspaper Monday, March 24. Mr. Blanton, do you not have any compassion for anyone in your heart? Have you ever witnessed the anguish and heartache of a family such as Doug Hall's family at a time such as this? Well I have and I did. This terrible plane crash occurred within seeing distance from my home and I went immediately to the home to try to help console the family. Mr. Blanton, if only you could have seen the pain and agony the father was suffering. He had to witness this son's death knowing there was absolutely nothing he could do. The mother was away and had to return home only to be told that her beloved son was dead and that he died such a horrible death. If you only know how much pain is inflicted on loved ones when they are a witness to the scene of an accident and the measures taken to prevent this from happening and then you print a large picture on the front page of your newspaper showing the removal of the last remains of a victim. Mr. Blanton, if you have to print pictures of this nature, for some people who enjoy such morbid things, couldn't you at least wait until the body has been removed. Just a picture of the object involved in a tragic death should be sufficient to satisfy these morbid curiosity seekers. I don't think you will loose any subscribers to your newspaper if you don't show all the vivid details.

For someone who is running for a public office that is supposed to have the interest of the people at heart, I feel you fall short in more ways than one when you show your ture nature as to your selection of pictures and articles for your paper. Mr. Blanton, I pray to God that you are never in a position where you have to witness one of your loved ones die. If you are, I'm certain it won't be on the front page of your newspaper such as Doug Hall's was or the terrible picture you printed of two plane crash victims a few months ago. I feel you owe the Jim Hall family, and all the other families from past occurances of this sort, a personal apology for the added heartache and anguish ca used them by your newspaper picutres of their tragedies. No one should ever give up hope on another person coming to their senses and Mr. Blanton, I pray that before you die you will find tucked away somewhere in your heart just a tiny bit of compassion that you can show to this world.

I haven't even begun with what I feel in my heart about such inconsiderations as this, but I hope I've gotten my point across to you on my feelings and I'm certain the majority of all decent people are in complete agreement with me.

Mrs. Dondar Faulkner
Route No. 1
New Madrid, Missouri

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Rickey Huffman

SAN ANTONIO — Airman Rickey L. Huffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleddis M. Huffman of Morehouse, Mo., has been selected for technical training in the U.S. Air Force civil engineering structural-pavement field at Sheppard Air Force Base near Wichita Falls.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB.

Airman Huffman is a 1973 graduate of Sikeston (Mo.) High School.

BARBS

By PHIL PASTORET

Sending U.S. instructors to teach Arabian security forces how to scrap is as useful as teaching monkeys to climb trees.

An old-timer is a fellow who recalls when spittoons weren't used as flower planters.

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PORK ROAST
LB 49¢

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ROUND STEAK LB $1.19

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PORK CHOPS LB 93¢

COLUMBIA SLICED
BACON LB 89¢

TENDERTEST BEEF
SWISS STEAK LB 98¢

MORRELLS PRIDE NO. 1
SLICED BACON $1.29

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STEW LB $1.09

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CUTLETS LB 79¢

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WHITING 49¢

METZGER
BRAUNSCHWEIGER
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BABY BEEF SALE
SIRLOIN OR ROUND STEAK LB 99¢
CHUCK ROAST LB 59¢
CLUB STEAKS LB 89¢
BEEF LIVER LB 47¢
BEEF NECK BONES LB 39¢
COUNTRY STYLE
PORK SAUSAGE LB 49¢

BONUS BUYS SAVE-SAVE

SAVE $1.00
Folger's coffee 2 LB CAN $1.79
LIMIT 1 WITH $7.50 ADDITIONAL PURCHASE

SAVE 30¢
PUREX BLEACH GALLON 59¢
LIMIT 1

SAVE 30¢
PUREX DETERGENT
Purex 69¢
HEAVY DUTY GIANT SIZE

SAVE 36¢
JELLO 5 PKG 99¢
WITH COUPON AT LEFT

SAVE $1.00
Gold Medal UNBLEACHED 25 LB BAG $3.79

SAVE 30¢
AUNT JEMIMA CORN MEAL MIX
2 LB PKG 19¢
LIMIT 1 WITH COUPON AT LEFT

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SAVE 40¢
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WITH COUPON AT LEFT

POINTER DOG FOOD 8 CANS 99¢

ZESTEE
SALAD DRESSING QT 69¢

IN OUR DAIRY DEPARTMENT

HYDE PARK
BISCUITS 6 10 IN CAN 79¢

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MILK GAL $1.19

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SAVE SUM PINEAPPLE NO 2 CAN 49¢

SAVE
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3 16 OZ LOAF 69¢
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PILLSBURY SWEET N' SIMPLE ROLL MIX PKG 39¢

DELMONTE FRUIT
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IN OUR FROZEN FOOD DEPARTMENT

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CHEFS PIZZA W/COUPON AT LEFT 77¢

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CORN, PEAS OR BORCOLLI 3 10 OZ PKG $1.00
WITH COUPON AT LEFT

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COOKING BAGS 4 PKG $1.00

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CORN 3 303 CAN 95¢

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BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
PEAS, CUT CORN, BROCCOLLI BIRDSEYE 3 10 OZ PKG $1.00
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JELLO 5 3 OZ PKG 99¢
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-13

BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
PILLSBURY FLOUR 5 LB. PKG. 79¢
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-10

BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
FRENCH COUNTRY MASHED POTATOES 16 OZ. 59¢
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-15

BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
LOG CABIN BUTTERED FLAVORED SYRUP 24 OZ. JAR $1.29
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-10

BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
PILLSBURY HUNGRY JACK POTATO FLAKES 16 OZ. 79¢
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-15

BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
PILLSBURY ANGEL FOOD CAKE MIX 15 OZ. PKG. 85¢
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-14

BIG STAR OR E-Z FOOD COUPON
AUNT JEMIMA CORN MEAL MIX LIMIT 1 2 LB. 19¢
EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-19

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EXPIRES APRIL 8 R-20

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

OUR MOTTO

We, the willing
Led by the unknowing
Are doing the impossible
For the ungrateful

We have done so much
For so long
With so little
We are qualified
To do everything
With nothing

In every society there have been the oppressed and in this so called "modern" society of ours there are still the oppressed. And the hate and discontent are ever present, not only in the eyes of the black, chicano, or italian but in a group that most don't even think about. And that is the young people who "litter" our streets just searching for a way to go. And like the many minorities before them they are just shrugged off and discarded in the back of one's mind. This has been happening since the beginning of time and if we don't do something about it our society will surely so lose one of it's most precious gifts and that is youth.

Now you may say that the problem is minial but friend you don't know what it's like to have someone condemn you just because your hair may be just a little different or the clothes you wear are a little strange. Well, I do, and let me tell you, it breaks down one's mental capacity to be taunted and ridiculed constantly. To be called a "dope addict" by everyone and his brother is just too much for most young people to handle, so the cycle begins...

If the young man is lucky he may find a job, that is if you aren't offended by his hair, and his strange clothes don't bother you. But you know you would really be fooled, cause those young people out there are just lookin' for a way to go just like you, and you might be surprised to find that they think just like you and they fall like you but sometimes just a little harder. When they meet failure it seems so much worseSo, if you see your brother fall help him, he may be there someday to help you when you have no where to go. Think about it ... and for his sake and ours, please try to find it in your heart to help him.

Thank you
Don E. Sturgeon
YN SA D. E. Sturgeon, USN
IPAC34 Box 38
Cmp. Smith
FPO San Francisco

OUR BOYS WITH THE COLORS

MICHAEL BARGER

SAN ANTONIO — Air National Guard Airman Michael R. Barger, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Barger of Sikeston, Mo., has graduated from basic training at Lackland Air Force Base.

Airman Barger will return to his Air National Guard unit at Little Rock AFB, Ark., where he will receive on-the-job training as an air operations specialist.

The airman is a 1969 graduate of East Ascension High School in Gonzlees, La. His wife Jane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Thompson of Delaplaine, Ar., Route One.

Thoughts

From The Living Bible

His chosen one replies, "I will reveal the everlasting purposes of God, for the Lord has said to me, 'You are my Son. This is your Coronation Day. Today I am giving you your glory.'" "Only ask, and I will give you all the nations of the world. Rule them with an iron rod; smash them like clay pots!" O kings and rulers of the earth, listen while there is time. Serve the Lord with reverent fear; rejoice with trembling. Fall down before his Son and kiss his feet before his anger is roused and you perish.

Psalms 1:7-12

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Ground broken for complex

Attending groundbreaking ceremonies for OFMCO's new plant on Blodgett Road are from left: Dan Norton, Doyle Horne, Charles Mitchell, Jim Smith, president of the Sikeston Chamber of Commerce, Ron Payne, Ed Matthews, Don Lowe, president of OFMCO, Nell Lowe, Howard Gipson, Bob Mitchell, Larry Hornback, Vice-President of OFMCO, Jerry Burge, Gary Martin, Rob Mitchell, Jim Brittain, and Mayor Frank Ferrell.

Mitchell attends meeting

J. Fred Harless, left, executive vice president of National Homes Manufacturing Corp. Lafayette, Ind., Division, shakes hands with Charles M. Mitchell, Realtor, National Homes distributor for this area.Mitchell, whose office is located at 305 Tanner St., recently attended the National Homes Builder meeting in St. Louis to preview the company's new line of homes. National Homes Corp., which will produce its 500,000th home in 1975, is the largest home manufacturer in the world.Mitchell chose from an extensive line of ranches, two-stories,bi-levels and tri-levels in a variety of new styles, including rustic, traditional and English Tudor. The introduction of the new models , which were especially chosen for the area market, will be available for public inspection at different locations throughout Sikeston and New Madrid.

OFMCO warehouse to be constructed

Ground was broken March 24 for a 64,000 square foot warehouse complex at a site on the Blodgett road in Miner, one mile north of Highway 60, by the building owner, OFMCO Corporation of Sikeston.

Don Lowe, president of OFMCO Corporation, said the construction was necessary to keep pace with the continuing growth of the business and was consistent with its need for more warehouse and office space to accommodate that growth. The entire project is being done under a general contract by the Ryan Construction Company of Sikeston.

OFMCO began business operations in 1968 in the Mississippi and relocated in the city of Sikeston in 1970. The company is engaged in the business of buying and marketing new and used office furniture , fixtures and machines at wholesale and retail. Lowe explained that while the majority of the merchandise dealt in by the company awas acquired in major cities throughout the United States that a central location was essential for processing and handling the inventory; hence, the present location.

The new facility, in addition to 8,000 square feet of office space and showrooms, will contain the most modern loading, handling and warehousing systems available. The new plant will also include complete facilities for the repair, restoration and re-upholstery of office furniture.

Company spokesmen relate that they anticipate being in a position to offer choice industrial locations and facilities to other businesses at the site, which is located near the intersection of the major interstate highways, shortly. The development of such an industrial park, they feel, will be of advantage to the Miner'-Sikeston trade area.

Howard Tillman

Tillman to open CPA office in P'ville

PORTAGEVILLE--Howard Tillman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tillman of Lilbourn, is opening a new certified accounting office in Portageville.

Tillman was raised in Lilbourn. He graduated from Lilbourn High School, attended the University of Missouri in Columbia for wtwo years, then transferred to Memphis State University in Memphis Tenn., where he graduated.

For twelve years, he was employed in Memphis by an investment and loan company, where he was manager for four of their offices. In 1972 he began working for Alexander Grant & Co., an international certified public accounting firm. located in the First National Bank of Memphis.

He has been an active member of Mullins Methodis Church, where he served on the board of directors and numerous committees for the renovation of the church and committees for the youth athletic program. His contributions to civic affairs. included the following: Member of the Optimist Club and treasurer of thisorganization, served on the budget committee of Shelby United Neighbors, member of the Tennessee Society of Certified Public Accountants, a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, and has a certificate from the Missouri State Board of Accountancy.

Howard's office will be at 1217 King Avenue, Portageville.

Mrs. Tillman is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs Chas Pikey of Conran. The Tillmans have two children a daughter, Debbie and a son, Sam.

VESTED INTEREST—HASPEL BROTHERS' three-piece suit of pure, comfort-geared cotton corduroy from CONE MILLS plays fashion close to the vest. Oatmeal-toned jacket and trousers coordinate with button-on corduroy patchwork vest.

Harper returns from cruise

John Harper, owner of Harper's Travel Service Inc., returned recently from a four-day cruise and tour on the west coast. Harper was flown as a guest of Trans World Airlines to San Francisco, Calif., where the agents boarded Prudential-Grace Lines SS Santa Mariana and sailed for Los Angeles, Calif.

While on board the agents attended a seminar and toured the ship's facilities an.

The agents visited the Queen Mary, at Long Beach, toured Universal Studios, Bevrly Hills and many other points of interest before returning from the Los Angeles area.

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Area schools invited to accept Penney's gift

Area high schools and colleges have been invited to accept JC Penney's 200th birthday gift to the nation. "The Bicentennial Musical Celebration," which was announced last December.

Order forms have been mailed to more than 30,000 high schools, colleges, and universities in the first phase of what is expected to be a massive distribution process lasting through April and May. The "gift of music" includes 100 minutes of sheet music for bands, orchestras, and choral groups. One package of the musicarranged for all instruments and voices will weigh approximately 45 pounds.

G.R. Bowen, manager of the Penney store at Sikeston, said the "Celebration" music package will consist of 70 minutes of historic works dating from William Billings' "America" written in1770 and 30 minutes of newly commissioned works by five prominent American composers.

Any high school, junior college, or university music department which has not received an order form may request one from its slocal or nearby JC Penney store or from Michael Scotto, National Bicentennial Coordinator, JC Penney, 1301 of the Americas, New York, N.Y. 10019.

Telephone bills to give more information

Beginning this month Southwestern Bell telephone bills will give customers here more information.

Mike Smith, manager, said the new billing format will give added detail on long distance and payment status. It will list federal, state and local taxes separately.

Computers will print the time each long distance call was placed and how long it lasted, Smith said. The new bill will tell whether the call was customer dialed, station to station or person to person. It will show whether the call was interstate or intrastate and what rate period applies.

Smith said the bill will show adjustments from the previous month, whether there is an unpaid balance and, if so, how much. He said a "due by" date will be specified to let customers know when the company expects payment.

The English used to mash the roots of hyacinths in white wine to hinder the growth of hair.

Coloring contest winners

Winners of the coloring book contest sponsored by the retail merchants of the Kingsway Plaza Mall were announced Saturday morning. Contest winners each received a silver dollar. Winners were, front row, from left, Erin Elizabeth Shaw, Greg Tatroe, Jill Chullino, Kenny Geers, Jason Shaw, Laurie Ann Nimmo, Cathy Critchlow, Beth Lewis, Shelly Huddleston and Jerry Keeler. Second row, Susan Dirnberger, Julia Williams, Laura Camp, Lorie McPhail, Deborah Hill, Jon Fair and Karen Schaffer. Third row, Marianne Geers, Paul Causey, Christina Mayfield, Michael Moore, Jimmy Eaton, Ann Cline, Sam Camp, Martha Springs and Laura Harden. Not present were Jennifer Hamlin, De'Nekia Rose and Denice Stone.

Stock ownership is announced

KANSAS CITY--On March 17, Metz Baking Co., a wholesale baker with headquarters in Sioux City, Iowa, announced ownership slightly in excess of 10 per cent of the outstanding common stock Interstate Brands Corp. a national wholesale baker headquartered in Kansas City.

A spokesman for Interstate Brands issued the following statement:

A Schedule 13D, dated Aug. 16, 1974, was filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission in Washington, D.C., on behalf of Metz Baking Co. and by certain affiliated persons indicating the acquisition and intention to further acquire common stock of Interstate Brands Corp. for the stated purpose of "investment."

On March 18, Interstate Brands received a copy of the first amendment to Schedule 13D. The amendment, which was dated March 17, indicates a total ownership by Metz Baking Co., and certain affiliated persons (Henry Metz, Jr., chairman of finance ocommittee and a director of Metz Baking Co., and A.D. Barnum, treasurer of Metz Baking Co., of 232,700 shares of the common stock of Interstate Brands Corporation. This comprises slightly more than 10 per cent of the outstanding 2,323,071 shares of the common stock of Interstate Brands.

Jamey Ryan to appear at jamboree

Jamey Ryan

BERNIE--Country music singer Jamey Ryan will be featured at 8 p.m. Saturday night at the Bootheel Jamboree.

Miss Ryan has been climbing the ladder of success ever since her first record on Columbia, "Twenty-one Inches of Heaven." Her recent successes include a sell-out tour of England ending with a standing room concert in the Royal Albert Hall in London.

Miss Rayn's career began while she was a student at San Antonio State College and the University of Texas at Austin. Following the success of her first record and another, "Plaything," she joined the Del Reeves Country Carnival, syndicated. television show. This led to other television appearances on Hee Haw, the Wilburn Brothers Show and the Grand Ole Opry.

Her current single is "Keep On Loving Me."

Focus on Business

Surgeon attends conference

Dr. Jean R. Dupont, has attended a "Meeting of Young Surgeons", sponsored by the American College of Surgeons.

Dr. Dupont was selected as representative of the local chapter of the American College of Surgeons. The meeting was held March 13-14 at the American College of Surgeons headquarters in Chicago, Ill.

All United States and Canadian chapters of the college were invited to send representatives.

Following a brief general session March 14, the representatives were dispursed into workshops and discussion groups for the morning, then reconvened in the afternoon where reports for all workshops were presented.

This meeting presented an unusual opportunity for young surgeons to ask questions and discuss problems with officers of the American College of Surgeons and with the authorities selected to serve as consultants to the workshops.

Jean R. Dupont

Halstead named vice president

NEW MADRID - Bruce R. Allan, president of Noranda Aluminum, Inc., has announced that the Company's board of directors, at their recent meeting, appointed Clint W. Halstead vice president - Operations.

Noranda Aluminum began operation of its primary aluminum reduction plant in 1970, with a production capacity of 70,000 tons per year. Expansion to the facilities were begun in 1974, and will increase the company's capacity to 140,000 tons per year in 1976. The company also operates a Rod, Wire & Cable plant adjacent to the reduction plant.

Halstead joined Noranda in 1970, and resides with his wife, Dot, in New Madrid.

A native of Pine Bluff, Ark., Halstead has accumulated 20 years in the Aluminum Industry, following his graduation from the University of Arkansas.

Since joining Noranda, the Halsteads have been active in civic endeavors, principallly in community betterment activities. He is a past pressident of the New Madrid Chamber of Commerce and a past member of the board of directors of the New Madrid Country Cllub. H e is a member of the American Society for Metals and the American Legion.

The Halsteads are members of the Presbyterian Church.

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(Sec. 473.587, RSMo.)

STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
ANNIE LEE HUFFSTUTTER)
deceased.)

Estate No. 4392

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Annie Lee Huffstutter, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 26th day of April, 1975 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

Jim S. Green, Hux & Green
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Olivia Lee
Administratrix
Morley, Missouri 63767

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Glenn H. Kage, Sr. and Mary Kage, his wife, by a cerrtain Deed of Trust dated the 5 day of June, 1970, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 169, Page 681, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

All of Lot Numbered Thirteen (13) in Block Numbered Seven (7) of Clayton's Addition to the City of Sikeston, Missouri, as shown in Plat Book No. 7 at Page 10[illegible] the Office of the Recorder of Dee[illegible] of Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was [illegible]ade to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Pomissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the main front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on April 15, 1975, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., and 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee

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STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Carl J. Baker)
deceased.)

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF CARL J. BAKER, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a final settlement and petition for determination of the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein and for distribution of such property, will be filed in the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri by the undersigned on the 18th day of April, 1975 or as continued by the court, and that any objections or exceptions to such settlement or petition or any item thereof must be in writing and filed within ten days after the filing of such settlement.

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Alumnas and *alumna* are really the Latin words for "foster son" and "foster daughter."

Looking back

Fire damages second story

50 years ago
April 2, 1925

Fire broke out at the home of Mrs. J. A. Milem on Park avenue Wednesday noon. The blaze, which was probably caused by a spark falling on the roof, was discovered after nearly the whole roof caught. The fire department gave prompt service, but was unable to save the second story of the building. About $1,500 is the estimated loss to the building.

New Madrid -- H. E. Morrison of Sikeston was transacting business at New Madrid Tuesday.

C. L. Stanley, 43, of Campbell, was instantly killed this morning when a steering gear of his automobile either locked or broke as he was driving near Bernie.

P. H. Gross has let a contract to J. R. McKinney for a two-room store building near the shoe factory. The building which is to be of hollow tile is one story. Each room will measure 20 x 60 feet. Mr. Gross will have a grocery store in one of the rooms and a butcher shop in the other.

40 years ago
April 2, 1935

Miss Ruth Ward Powell will leave here the last of this week for West Plains, where she will begin Monday serving as secretary to W. J. Eckhart, a district relief representative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. King, recently moved here from Springfield, Mo., and are building a new home on Prosperity street, which they will occupy on or before the last of April.

Bob Linn, the 1928 Olympic champion hitchkicker, performed at a high school assembly Friday. Mr. Linn, who said he won his title at the international matches in Amsterdam, Holland, has stated he will try to interest players in forming a baseball club here. He is staying at the John O'Hara home on East Center street.

A near record rain fell here Saturday when precipitation totaled 5.45 inches in 20 hours, between 7 Saturday morning and 3 a.m. Sunday.

Kemper Bruton was chosen to head the Sikeston Junior Chamber of Commerce at a meeting of 15 charter members held Thursday at the Del Rey Hotel.

30 years ago
April 2, 1945

E. G. Grigsby, age 73, of the Miner Switch community, died Friday of a heart attack.

Mrs. C. S. Britton of Cairo, Ill., died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Allen, of Sikeston, following an illness of three weeks from a heart ailment.

Jeff Sutton has purchased the Dobson grocery and market on South Kingshighway and expresses a desire to see his old customers.

Everett W. Harbinson, a farmer for 30 years in the Miner Switch Community, died Friday following an illness of several months.

20 years ago
April 2, 1955

Mr. and Mrs. Max D. Minner of Orlando, Fla., announce the arrival in their home of a baby girl whom they have chosen as their daughter. Pamela Ann is the name selected for the new baby, who was born on March 6. Mr. Minner is the son of Mrs. Lina J. Minner of Sikeston

Charleston -- Dr. William Lewis Meyer, 62, pastor of the First Methodist Church here for the past three years and widely known and enjoyed as a public speaker in Southeast Missouri, died of a heart attack Thursday while attending a meeting of Masonic Lodge No. 407 here.

What's the law?

The case of the chauvinistic employer

By JACK STRAUSS, LL.B.

Vickie had a figure that could have befuddled the greatest mathematician. The only one she befuddled, however, was the president of the corporation for which she worked when he spotted her wearing hot pants.

Finding it distractive attire, he directed his plant foreman to tell her to go home immediately and come back wearing something more proper -- or else. Accepting the "or else" literally, Vickie took the initiative and quit her job. When she applied for unemployment benefits, however, she was turned down.

"You can collect unemployment benefits only if you left your employment for good cause," she was told. "And, you didn't have good cause."

"I sure did," was Vickie's answer. "An employer can't just tell an employe what she can or cannot wear. The fact is, I wore my hot pants around the plant all summer without any evidence that I caused any distraction or disruption among any of my fellow employes. Since hot pants are proper attire and since I wasn't allowed to wear them, I had a right to quit. It was pure male chauvinism."

The dispute ended up in court.

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you permit Vickie and her hot pants to collect unemployment benefits?

This is how the judge ruled: NO! The judge held, in effect, while there was no evidence that Vickie's hot pants had caused any distraction or disruption among her coemployes, it was sufficient that her employer found them distractive -- and not suitable. Thus, concluded the judge, Vickie did not quit her job for sufficient reason to entitle her to collect unemployment benefits.

(Based upon a 1974 New York Supreme Court, App. Dvi., Decisoon)

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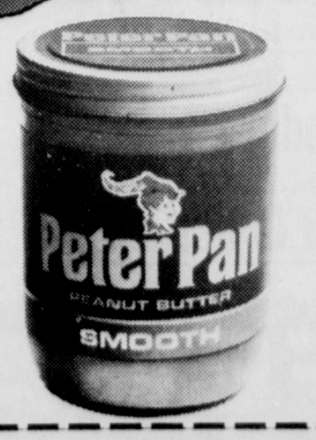

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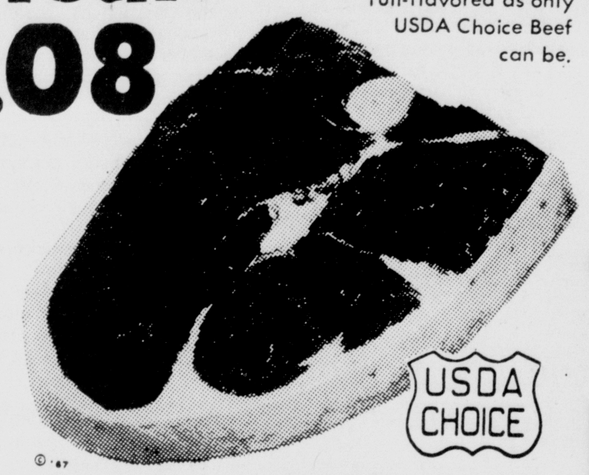

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Meat Pies	Manor House Stock Up and Save!	4 8-Oz. Pkgs.	$1
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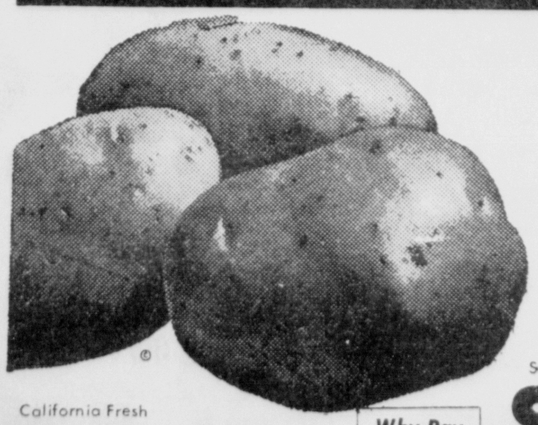

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Longhorn Cheese	Safeway Half Moon	Per Lb.	$1.43
Cream Cheese	Lucerne Why Pay More?	2 3-Oz. Pkgs.	29¢
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Sliced Cheese	Lucerne Swiss, Pimento or American	8-Oz. Pkg.	69¢
Whipped Butter	Shady Lane Why Pay More?	1-Lb. Pkg.	95¢

Cooking Up

By CHERIE BLANTON

I just received a letter from a reader who said, "You have asked for recipes and lately, since I have concentrated on money-saving ones I've varied my stuffed pepper recipe (peppers are plentiful right now) and will share it with you." I do hope more of you will send me your favorites as I will really appreciate it. I have not had a chance to try out any of the dishes below but they all sound good and I can hardly wait to try them.

Here is an entire menu planned with recipes sent to me by readers. So let's get in the kitchen and have a scrumptious dinner ready. The main dish is Mrs. Harry Bock's of New Madrid.

STUFFED GREEN PEPPERS

Parboil four large sweet peppers that have been cut in half and cored. Cool. Saute one large onion, one-half chopped pepper, one rib celery, chopped, and one clove garlic, chopped in 2 tbsp. of bacon drippings. Add three-fourths pound ground beef and two Tbsp. chopped parsley. Cook until meat is browned. Remove from heat.

Add one grated carrot, two or three slices stale bread or the equivalent in stale rolls squeezed in water, 1 beaten egg, one-half teaspoon sugar and salt and pepper to taste. Add another egg if mixture is too stiff. Fill pepper shells. Cover with bread crumbs, dot with butter and sprinkle with a little paprika. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 to 40 minutes.

This next recipe is a fruit salad someone gave me and I apologize for not remembering who it was. But it , I think, would be delicious with peppers.

FRUIT SALAD

18-ounce package Philadelphia cream cheese
¾ cup sugar

Cream these two ingredients together until light and fluffy.

1 large carton Cool Whip
1 large can of sliced pineapple, cut up and drained
1 small can crushed pineapple, drained
1 (10 ounce) package frozen strawberries, thawed
3 sliced bananas

Mix the above together and freeze. Serves 16.

Here is a sure an easy bread and many say that it is quite delicious.

BEER BISCUITS

Mix and pour into muffin tins:
3 cups Bisquick
1½ Tbsp. sugar
1 can of beer, warm and flat

Bake at 425 degrees for about 15 minutes. Makes 16 muffins.

I don't know why on earth I have not gotten around to trying this out as my family is crazy about chocolate.

CHOCOLATE ANGEL PIE

½ pound (30) marshallows
1 cup milk
⅛ tsp. salt
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup cream
2 1-ounce bitter chocolate squares, grated
½ cup pecans, chopped
Baked pie shell
¼ cup shredded coconut

Add marshmallows to milk and heat in double boiler until melted. Cool. Stir in salt and vanilla. Fold in cream (whip first)0, chocolate and nuts. Pour into shell and sprinkle with coconut. Chill and top with another cup of whipped cream.

Polly's Pointers

Age of brass bed determines care

By Polly Cramer

Polly's Problem

DEAR POLLY — What do you recommend for polishing a brass bed? Is there something one can put on the brass after polishing to prevent it from tarnishing? I would certainly like to know and thank you. — BETTY.

DEAR BETTY — If yours is a new brass bed it is doubtless already lacquered to prevent tarnish so would only need to be wiped off with a soft, dry cloth. Mine is an old one and I had it professionally polished after some paint was removed and then lacquer was applied. With years of use plus someone mistakenly using polish, that protective finish wore away. After it was cleaned and polished with a commercial brass cleaner available at hardware stores and supermarkets, I sprayed on two coats of lacquer, drying between each of them. I held newspaper back of the part being sprayed to protect things nearby. — POLLY.

DEAR POLLY — My Pet Peeve is with the canners of dietetic foods who charge such outlandish prices for their products. They know diabetics, etc., have to have it and will buy. I have canned fruit myself and it is much better flavored when no sweetener is added but just cooked in its own juices. — CURTY.

DEAR POLLY — My sister is in the hospital and her elbows were becoming sore from lying down and from sitting up to read. To remedy this I made her a pair of "Elbow Softeners" from four circles of soft material, stuffed with cotton and sewed together around the edges. Two short pieces of elastic were covered with lace and then the ends of an elastic piece sewed to the front side of a circle on opposite sides. This way her hand can slip right through the lace covered elastic that is pushed right up to her elbow. This also would be helpful to many Senior Citizens. — DOROTHY B.

DEAR POLLY — For over 25 years I have saved the water in which potatoes were cooked to make gravy (poured into a small pan until ready to make the gravy). Now I also use some of it to mash the potatoes instead of turning on the gas to heat milk. I use dry milk in the hot water and find the potatoes stay hot longer. — ANN.

DEAR POLLY — I have discovered a quick and convenient way to give medicine to my infant son. I thoroughly clean with hot soap and water and boil a small bottle (the kind nose drops or eye drops come in) and then put the required amount of medicine in it. Cover the bottle by pulling a nipple over it and baby sucks the medicine out with no mess and little bother. — SANDI.

DEAR SANDI — How I wish I had thought of this years ago. It always seemed to me that my babies missed half the medicine in a spoon. Be certain though the bottle is sterilized and has no traces of other medicine in it. — POLLY.

You will receive a dollar if Polly uses your favorite homemaking idea, Pet Peeve, Polly's Problem or solution to a problem. Write Polly in care of this newspaper.

Pear Shortcakes Varied With Toppings

Here's a new look for that old favorite, fruit shortcake. Quick to prepare, these tasty desserts feature a delightful blend of flavors and textures and can be varied with a selection of toppings.

Each individual shortcake begins the same way with succulent slices of canned Bartlett pears arranged over toasted pound cake. Then comes a topping of your choice and a quick turn under the broiler. With their delicate sweetness canned Bartlett pears are compatible with numerous flavors. Choose from one of the delicious toppings, below, or create your own special version.

Convenient canned Bartlett pears are among the plentiful foods of this season. Serve them often to add dash and variety to everyday menus.

Pick-A-Topping Pear Shortcakes

Drain canned Bartlett pears and slice. Cut pound cake into ¾-inch slices and toast. Arrange sliced pears on pound cake and add a choice of topping. Place under broiler until hot and bubbly.

Pear Streussel Topping

Combine equal parts of soft butter, brown sugar and chopped pecans.

Pear Ambrosia Topping

Combine equal parts of granulated sugar and flaked coconut. Add grated orange peel to taste.

Pear Honey-Nut Topping

Combine equal parts of crunch-style peanut butter and honey.

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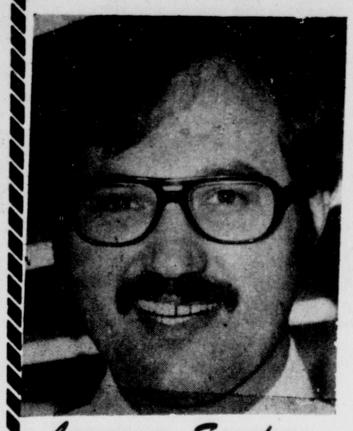
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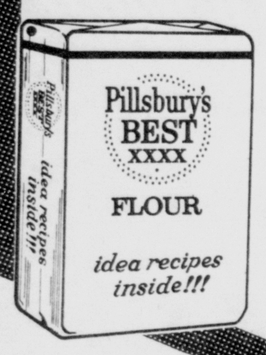

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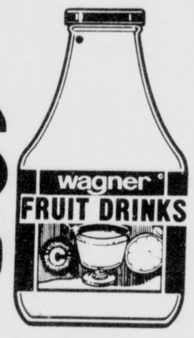

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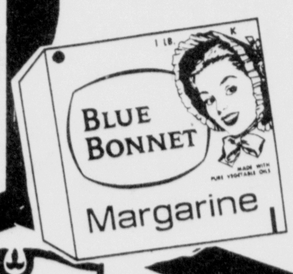

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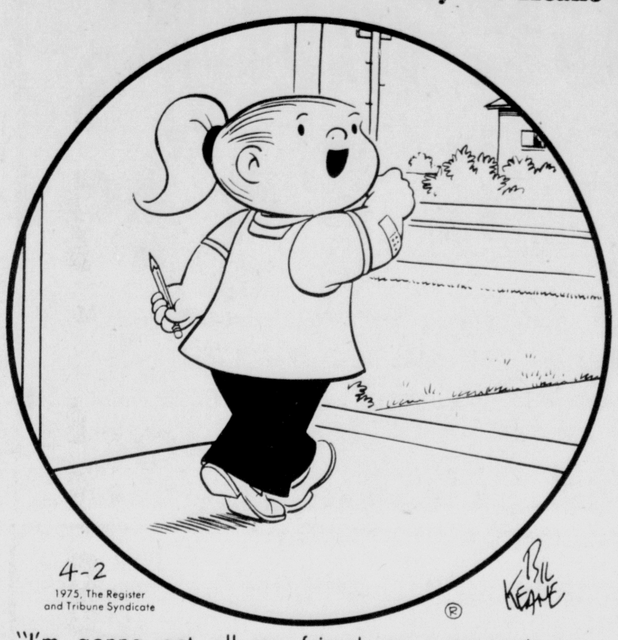
THE FAMILY CIRCUS By Bil Keane



"I'm gonna get all my friends to autograph my bandage."

CARNIVAL by Dick Turner

"Well, who was it convinced her she should play the field?"

SIDE GLANCES by Gill Fox

"At that price, young man, I expect genuine imported Arabian oil in my car!"

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Thursday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 You	31 Involved	61 In	
2 Consolidate	32 Your	62 Guessing	
3 Can	33 Assistance	63 You	
4 Friend	34 For	64 Yours	
5 May	35 In	65 Today	
6 Be	36 Don't	66 Need	
7 Take	37 Efficient	67 Could	
8 Positive	38 Activity	68 Today	
9 Aspects	39 Be	69 By	
10 Action	40 Is	70 Fail	
11 Fellow	41 But	71 Your	
12 Get	42 Favorable	72 Promise	
13 Bickering	43 Have	73 It	
14 Look	44 Luck	74 Don't	
15 Some	45 Travel	75 Action	
16 Don't	46 Don't	76 Of	
17 You	47 Expected	77 To	
18 Special	48 Answers	78 Become	
19 Try	49 Is	79 Plans	
20 Money	50 Money	80 Anything	
21 Forward	51 Sports	81 Materialize	
22 Workers	52 Tempted	82 Personal	
23 To	53 Others	83 Today	
24 On	54 Available	84 Involved	
25 To	55 Start	85 Today	
26 Bring	56 You	86 Great	
27 Is	57 If	87 Life	
28 Can	58 Into	88 New	
29 Force	59 Gains	89 Unwittingly	
30 Extra	60 Others	90 Wealth	

4TH Good Adverse 4/3 Neutral

ARIES MAR. 21 – APR. 19: 7- 8-10-24 32-45-79-83

TAURUS APR. 20 – MAY 20: 4- 5-12-17 31-35-51

GEMINI MAY 21 – JUNE 20: 47-50-59-67 70-77-81-85

CANCER JUNE 21 – JULY 22: 33-40-54-57 63-66-73

LEO JULY 23 – AUG. 22: 9-26-30-38 61-71-82-87

VIRGO AUG. 23 – SEPT. 22: 16-19-25-29 53-58-75

LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 22: 13-27-34-60 74-78-84-89

SCORPIO OCT. 23 – NOV. 21: 1- 3-14-21 23-42-48

SAGITTARIUS NOV. 22 – DEC. 21: 36-39-52-69 72-76-86-90

CAPRICORN DEC. 22 – JAN. 19: 11-22-28-43 56-62-68

AQUARIUS JAN. 20 – FEB. 18: 15-18-20-44 49-64-65

PISCES FEB. 19 – MAR. 20: 2- 6-37-41 46-55-80-88

"WHY CAN'T HE JUST BURY BONES LIKE OTHER DOGS?"

OUT OUR WAY by Neg Cochran

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

Relatives

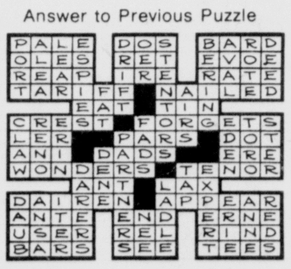
ACROSS

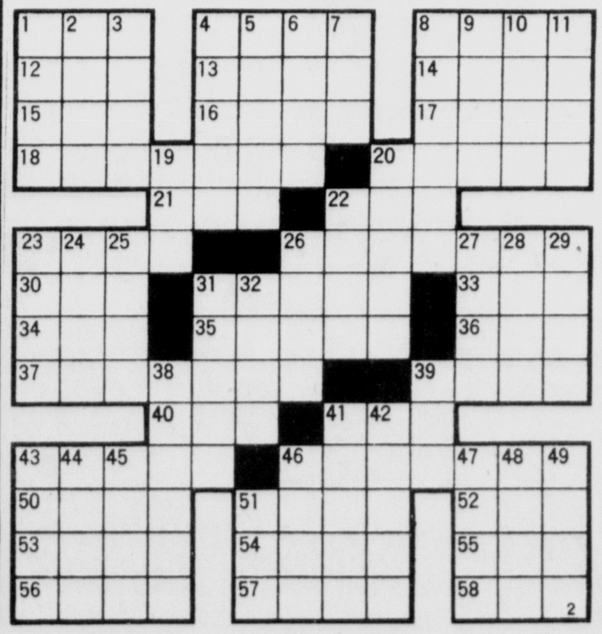
1 Female sibling (coll.)
4 Mother (coll.)
8 Father (coll.)
12 Oklahoma Indians
13 Scent
14 Middle East native
15 Boy's nickname
16 Learning
17 Ceremony
18 Mother's father (coll.)
20 Lease again
21 Superlative suffix
22 2,000 pounds
23 Infant
26 Camera part
30 Presidential nickname
31 French painter
33 Single thing
34 Mesh
35 Prayer endings
36 Gradually slower (ab.)
37 Spanish nobleman
39 Completes
40 One of the Gershwins
41 Building site
43 Brother's daughter
46 Sister's sons
50 Talent (Italian)
51 Pontiff
52 Meadow
53 Mexican worker
54 Arabian gulf
55 Japanese coin
56 Slave
57 Indian weights
58 Piece out

DOWN

1 Lay
2 Roman road
3 Soft drink
4 Shapes
5 Take as one's own
6 Metrical time unit
7 Exist
8 Father or mother
9 Seed covering
10 Top of head
11 Assist
19 Maiden name
20 Digs for food
22 At that time
23 Loud noise
24 German conjunction
25 Greek letter
26 Koko's weapon
27 Ripped
28 Geraint's wife
29 Soaks flax
31 Mother (Sp.)
32 Ohio Music Educators' Association (ab.)
38 Certain creed
39 Ordinal number suffix
41 Outcast
42 Unlocks
43 Back of neck
44 Makes angry
45 Kind of jacket
46 Protuberance
47 Otherwise
48 Month part
49 Rational
51 Dance step

Answer to Previous Puzzle





Today in U.S. history

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, April 2, the 92nd day of 1975. There are 273 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

In 1917, President Woodrow Wilson asked Congress to declare war on Germany, saying the world must be made safe for democracy.

On this date:

In 1792, Congress established the U.S. Mint.

In 1865, during the Civil War, Confederate President Jefferson Davis and most of his cabinet fled from Richmond, Va.

In 1882, the outlaw, Jesse James, was shot and killed by a member of his gang in St. Joseph, Mo.

In 1932, Charles Lindbergh turned over $50,000 dollars to an unidentified man in a Bronx, New York, cemetery as ransom for his kidnapped son.

In 1944, Soviet forces entered Romania during World War II.

In 1947, the United Nations assigned the United States as a trustee of Pacific islands formerly held by Japan under mandate.

Ten years ago: Prime Minister Harold Wilson of Britain and French President Charles de Gaulle agreed at a Paris meeting "that some sort of basis must be found for a peaceful settlement in Vietnam."

Five years ago: Japanese students who had hijacked an airliner released 103 passengers at the airport at Seoul in South Korea and accepted the Japanese Vice Minister of Transportation as a hostage for a flight to North Korea.

One year ago: President George Pompidou of France died in Paris at the age of 62.

Today's birthdays: Actor Alec Guinness is 61. Television actor and producer Jack Webb is 55.

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BACON
LB 99c

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& CHEESE DINNER 3 7¼ OZ PKG $1.00

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EXP 4-8-75

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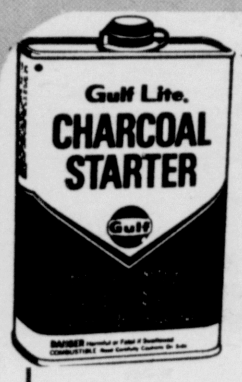

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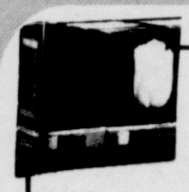
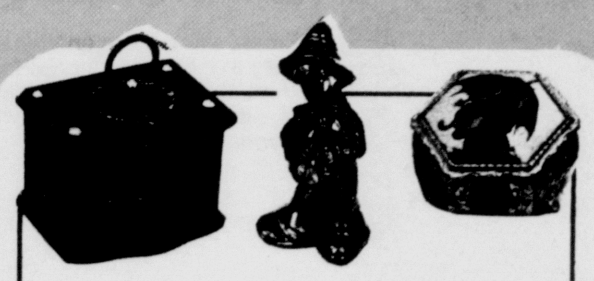
Charcoal Starter
Reg. 69¢
1 Quart

2 for 69¢



Holland Bulbs
Reg. $1.29
2 for $1.29

'POT 'N ALL"
Flower & Vegetable Seeds in A Pot
Reg. 98¢
2 for 98¢



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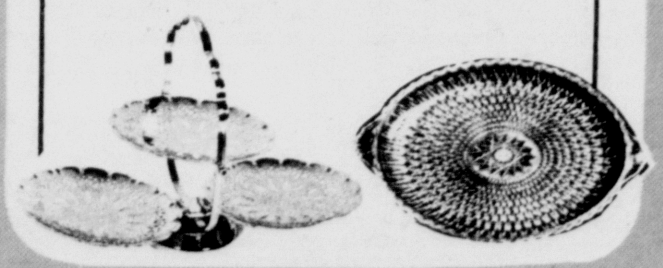

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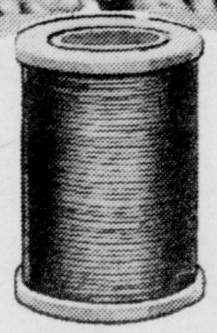

ALL SEWING NOTIONS ½ Price

Decoupage Purse Kits

2 For $16.95 or

$8.48 each

Crewel Embroidery Kit

Create a lovely design from this easy to follow kit. Choose from Owls, Boats, Childrens Scenes of other originals by Pauline Denham.

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$1.50 Each

Playnts Poster Paints

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$1.00 Each

Blockit

Kids love making and displaying these 3-D wooden block pictures. Easy to follow instructions. For ages 6-12.

2 for $3.99 or

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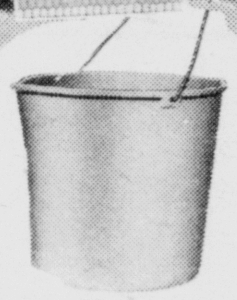
LARGE SELECTION OF TOYS ½ OFF REGULAR PRICE



5 Quart Plastic Pail

2 for 61¢ or

31¢ Each

Car Wash Kit

Kit includes pail, cloth, sponge and mit.

Reg. 99¢

2 for 99¢

PLASTIC 5 GAL. MILK CAN WASTEBASKET

2 for $4.99

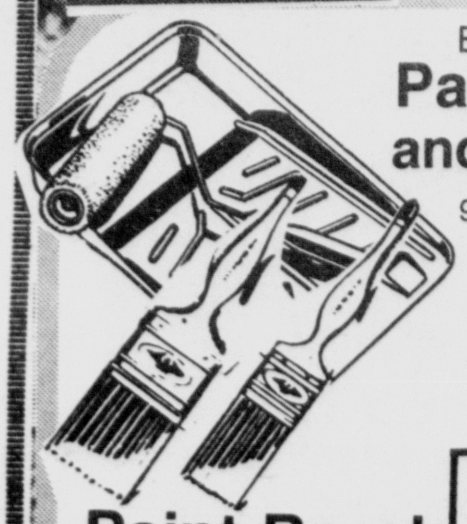
$2.50 Each

Sweater Box

Perfect for storing those winter sweaters! Clear plastic

2 For $2.09 or

$1.05 Each



EZ PAINTER **Paint Roller and Tray Set**

9 inch paint roller

2 for $1.99 or

$1.00 Each

Paint Brush Assortment

ALL ½ PRICE

DAVCO PLASTIC **Drop Cloth**

9 x 12 ft.

Reg. 29¢

2 for 29¢

Caulking Gun

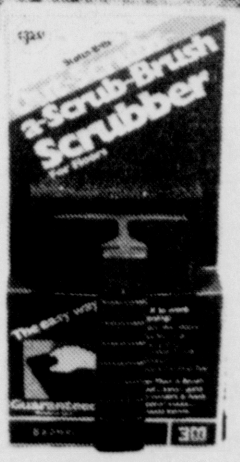
2 for $1.49 or

75¢ Each

Magic Touch Spray Paint

2 For $1.35 or

68¢ Each



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OSCO
Sheer-To-Waist Panty Hose
Beautifully sheer from waist to toe . . . perfect for all your dress and shoe fashions. Two sizes for perfect fit.

Osco Reg. 99c
2 FOR 99¢

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Vitamin Ointment
4 Ounces
Contains vitamins A and D.
2 for 99¢

OSCO
Isopropyl Alcohol
16 Ounces
70% Isopropyl
OSCO REG. 99¢
2 For 99¢

OSCO
Hand Lotion
16 Ounces
Reg. 95¢
2 For 95¢

OSCO
Clinicare Lotion
16 Ounces
2 for 99¢

Clairol
Herbal Essence
Shampoo
Trial Size
Reg. 29¢
2 for 29¢

Halo
Shampoo
Reg. $1.09
2 For
$1.09

Jergen's
Bath Beads
16 Oz.
Reg. 98¢
2 for
98¢

Cēpacol
Mouthwash
5 Fl. Oz.
Trial
Reg. 29¢
2 for
29¢

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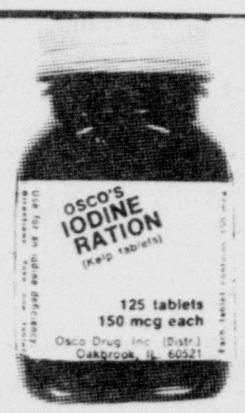
Vita-Plus Multiple Vitamins with Iron
Bottle of 100
Osco Reg. 2 for 1.49

Vita-Plus Multiple Vitamins
Bottle of 100
Osco Reg. 2 for 1.29

OSCO
Chewable Vitamin C
Bottle of 100 100 mg.
Osco Reg.
2 for 99c

OSCO
Vitamin B1
Bottle of 100
100 mg
Osco Reg.
2 for $1.59



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Iodine Ration
150 mg
Bottle of 125
Osco Reg.
2 for 69c

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25 mg.
Osco Reg.
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Bottle of 100
Osco Reg.
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OSCO
Animal Shaped Vitamins with Iron
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Osco Reg. 2 for 2.19

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Sunglass
Assortment
Regular Stock
½ PRICE

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ALL PICTURE FRAMES
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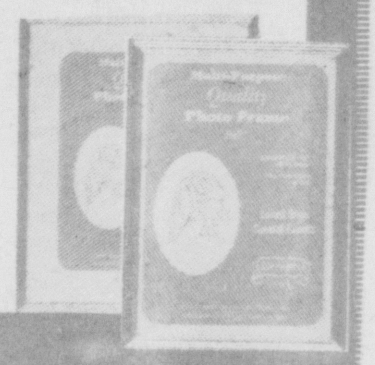
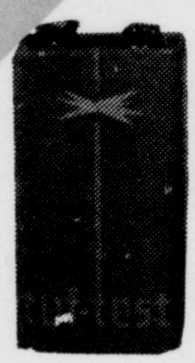


Pritt Glue Stick
Osco Reg. 77¢
2 for 77¢

SCOTCH BRAND
Magic Transparent Tape
2 for 29¢

ICE CUBE TRAYS Reg. 47¢
2 for 47¢



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OR
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BATTERIES
AA-C-D & 9 VOLT
½ Price

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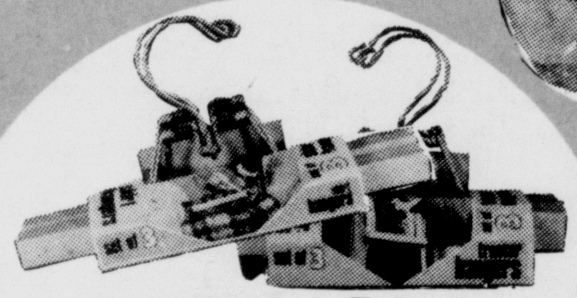
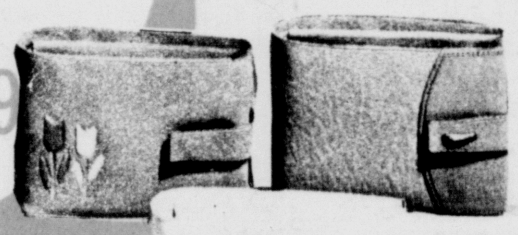


Wood Skirt or Trouser HANGERS
Set of 3
2 Sets for $1.29

ALL
HAIR ROLLERS
½ Price



Assortment Of Women's
Billfolds & Clutch Purses
½ Price

ASSORTED ALUMINUM
½ Price

BoPeep Amonia
32 Oz. 2 for 39¢
or 20¢ Each

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Window Cleaner
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2 For 59¢

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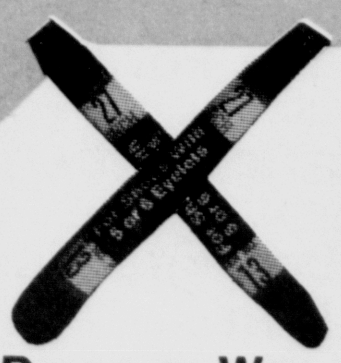

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Assorted sizes in black or white, brown. 2 or 3 per card.
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G.E.
Soft White
Bulbs
½ Price

Vacuum Cleaner Bags
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POWERED
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